### REPORT ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(with required supplementary information)

Year ended June 30, 2007

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Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2007

This section of Muskegon Heights Public Schools' annual report represents an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Please review in conjunction with the financial statements and notes to the financial statements to enhance an understanding of the district's financial performance.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) in their Statement No. 34 Basic Financial Statements adopted this reporting model – and Management Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) – for State and Local Governments issued in June of 2000. Certain comparative information between the current year and the prior year is required to be presented in the MD&A.

#### **Overview of the Financial Statements**

This annual report consists of four parts: (1) management's discussion and analysis, (2) the basic financial statements, (3) required supplementary information, and (4) statistical data, unaudited. The financial statements include notes that explain information in the statements by providing detailed data. These statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and supports the financial statements, utilizing a comparison to the district's budget for the year. Additionally, the basic financial statements also include two kinds of statements that present different views of the district.

#### **District-wide Financial Statements**

The District-wide financial statements are full accrual basis statements that provide information about the district's *overall* financial status. They are used to help determine whether or not the District is better off, or worse off, as the result of the year's activities. The *Statement of Net Assets* reports all of the district's assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term, whether they are "currently available" or not. Capital assets and long-term obligations of the district are reported in this statement. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the *Statement of Activities*, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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The two district-wide statements report the district's *net assets* and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the district's assets and liabilities – is one way to measure the district's financial position.

- Over time, increases or decreases in net assets are an indicator of whether the district's financial position is improving or deteriorating.
- To assess the district's overall health, you need to consider additional non-financial factors such as changes in the district's property tax base, the quality of the education provided, and the condition of the district's buildings.

In district-wide statements, the district's activities are classified as *governmental activities*. This includes most of the District's basic services, such as regular and special education, food service, athletics, transportation, and administration. Property taxes, state aid, and state and federal grants finance most of these services.

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

The fund financial statements focus on individual parts of the district, while reporting the district's operations in more detail than the district-wide statements. The fund level statements are reported on a *modified accrual basis*. Only those assets that are "*measurable*" and "*currently available*" are reported. Liabilities are recognized to the extent that they are paid with current financial resources.

Fund statements are formatted to comply with the legal requirements of the Michigan Department of Education's "Accounting Manual." In the State of Michigan, the district's major instructional and instructional support activities are reported in the *General Fund*. Additional activities are reported in their relevant funds including: *Food Service*, *Athletics*, *Debt Service*, *Capital Projects*, and *Fiduciary Funds*.

In fund financial statements, capital asset purchases are reported as expenditures in the year of acquisition. No asset is reported. The issuance of debt is recorded as a financial resource. The current year's payments of principal and interest on long-term obligations are recorded as expenditures. Future year's debt obligations are not recorded.

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#### Financial Analysis of the District as a Whole

The net assets of the district at June 30, 2007 amounted to \$1.16 million. Figure A-1 shows a condensed breakdown of the net assets. The decrease in total assets is the result of lower cash balances due to capital project expenditures and debt payments, and lower receivables at year-end due to lower special education transportation costs compared to the previous year. Also, depreciation and amortization expense exceeded fixed asset additions. Total liabilities decreased due to the timing payroll and related benefits payments.

Figure A-1 Condensed Statement of Net Assets							
		Governmental					
	<u>Ju</u>	June 30, 2 <u>June 30, 2007</u> (as restat					
Current Assets	\$	6,692,437	\$	7,449,725			
Capital Assets, net		26,121,478		26,913,274			
Other Non Current Assets		973,786		1,036,997			
Total Assets		33,787,701		35,399,996			
Current Liabilities		7,380,071		7,698,510			
Non Current Liabilities		25,245,776		26,287,960			
Total Liabilities		32,625,847		33,986,470			
Net Assets							
Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt		4,515,191		4,558,298			
Restricted for:							
Debt Service		14,041		310,196			
Unrestricted		(3,367,378)	_	(3,454,968)			
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	\$	1,161,854	<b>\$</b> _	1,413,526			

The largest portion of the District's net assets reflects investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings and improvements, and furniture and equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that are still outstanding. The District uses these capital assets to provide services to students; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay the debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

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The net assets of the District decreased by \$250 thousand during the 2006/07 year. Figure A-2 shows the breakdown of this change. The Statement of Activities presented later in the government-wide financial statements, provides greater detail on the District's annual activity. The cost of the District's governmental activities for the year was \$26.2 million.

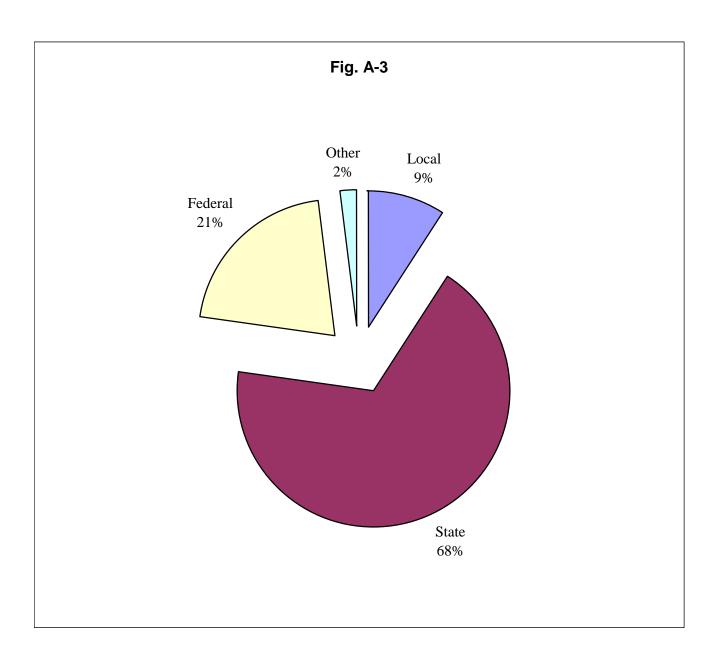
Charges for services include amounts received for Special Education transportation and other receipts from those who benefited from the food service, athletic and community service programs. In 2006/07, the district experienced a decrease in revenue from these charges due to lower program participation. Operating grants and contributions of \$9.7 million were for programs paid for by other governments and organizations. Funding for these programs was reduced in 2006/07.

Instructional expenses for 2006/07 decreased due to a reduction in instructional staffing. The district eliminated 22 positions in October 2006. Health insurance premiums were lower as the result of changes in health insurance providers being changed for two bargaining units. Overall, expenses were reduced to aid in the reduction of the District's fund deficit.

Figure A-2 Statement of Net Assets from Operating Results							
Governmental Activities For the Periond Ending: June 30, 2007 2006 (as restated)							
_		2007	200	o (as restated)			
Revenues							
Program Revenues							
Charges for Services	\$	555,716	\$	819,320			
Operating Grants and contributions		9,735,793		10,991,187			
General Revenues							
Property taxes		3,159,240		3,207,475			
Unrestricted grants and contributions		13,601,576		13,390,690			
Other		119,845	_	156,084			
Total revenues		27,172,170		28,564,756			
Expenses							
Instruction		12,143,708		14,087,862			
Support services		10,409,963		10,961,158			
Community services		1,003,238		1,158,930			
Food services		1,156,590		1,298,859			
Athletics		314,734		333,391			
Interest on long-term debt	_	1,179,993		1,248,645			
Total expenses		26,208,226		29,088,845			
Other changes							
Depreciation and interdistrict transfers	_	(1,215,616)	_	(1,162,780)			
Increase (decrease) in net assets		(251,672)		(1,686,869)			
Beginning net assets (as restated)	_	1,413,526	_	3,100,395			
Ending net assets	<b>\$</b> _	1,161,854	\$_	1,413,526			

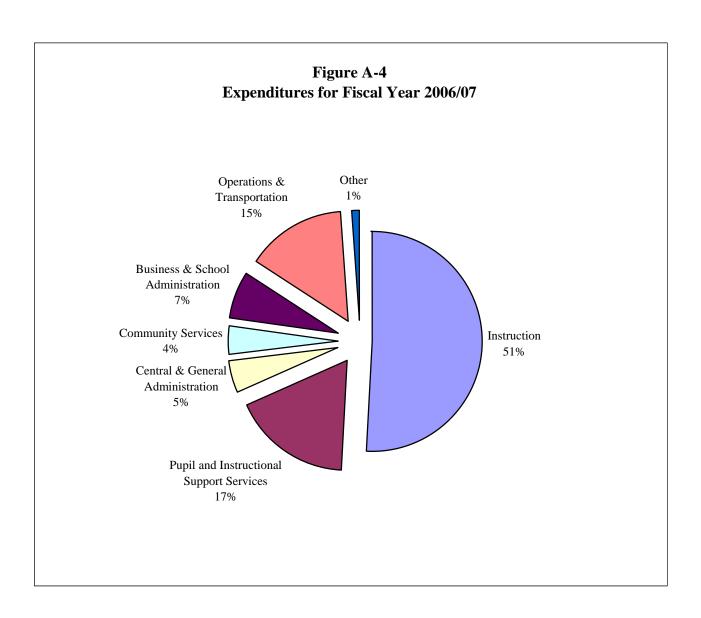
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A substantial portion (68%) of the District's revenue is received from State sources. This means that the financial stability of the District rests primarily with the economic health of the State of Michigan. Figure A-3 depicts the breakdown of the sources of revenue for the District.



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As Figure A-4 depicts, 68% of the District's resources are spent on instruction and pupil support services. Another 12% is spent on administrative and business services necessary to efficiently operate the District, while 15% is spent for building operation and maintenance, including utilities, custodial services and transportation. The final 5% is spent on interest, community, and other support services.



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#### **Financial Analysis of the District's Funds**

The financial performance of the district as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds as well. The General Fund fund balance increased by \$129,026 during the 2006/07 fiscal year, resulting in fund deficit of \$771,379 at year-end. The primary operational reasons for the deficit reduction are as follows:

#### **Factors Impacting Operations**

*Staffing Reduction* - The District reduced 22 teacher positions in October 2006. The business office staff was also reduced by one position.

Health Insurance premium decreases – During FY 2007, the CMT and Clerical unions changed their health benefits carrier from MESSA to Priority Health, resulting in a savings for the district. The only remaining union covered by MESSA insurance is the Teachers Union. The district is currently in negotiations with the Teachers Union regarding health insurance.

#### **General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

The Uniform Budget Act of the State of Michigan requires that the local Board of Education approve the original budget for the upcoming fiscal year prior to July 1, the start of the fiscal year. As a matter of practice, the District amends its budget quarterly during the school year. These revisions are made in order to deal with unexpected changes in revenues and expenditures. The following analysis describes the reasons for changes in the budget during the year.

<u>Revenues</u> – There was a \$750,000 (3%) decrease in the total General Fund revenue budget from the beginning to the end of the year. The major changes in funding sources are as follows:

- The *local source* revenue budget increased by \$9,500 due to miscellaneous program activities.
- The *state source* revenue budget decreased by \$950,000. The decrease was due to a reduction in student enrollment.
- The *federal source* revenue budget increased by \$188,000 primarily due to the inclusion of the Title I Carryover funds available from the 2005/06 fiscal year.

Expenditures – The budgetary changes by functional category are as follows:

- The budget for *instructional services* decreased by \$957,000 due primarily to the reduction of 22 teaching positions in October of 2006.
- The budget for *support services* instructional staff had a net increase of \$192,000. This increase was due to the recognition of additional No Child Left Behind legislation constraints.
- The budget for *business services* increased by \$94,000 due to the recognition of additional State Aid Anticipation Note interest expense.
- The budget for *operations and maintenance* decreased by \$68,000 due to shifting various full-time employees to part-time employees.
- The budget for *transportation services* decreased by \$105,000 due to a reduction in bus aide staffing.

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#### Amended Budget v. Actual Results

#### Revenues

- The *local source* revenues increased slightly due to the collection of more delinquent taxes than anticipated by \$140,000. Special education transportation was \$163,000 lower than expected.
- The *state source* revenues decreased due to deferring At-Risk funding not fully expended. State aid budget was \$300,000 lower than actual.
- The *federal source* revenues decreased due to the Title I, Title II-A, and IDEA grants not being fully expended by year-end. The remaining amounts will carryover to the 2007/08 fiscal year. Additional revenues of \$418,000 were deferred due to the 60-day rule.
- *Instruction* was better than anticipated due the reduction in staffing and the related benefits.

#### **Expenditures**

- The *basic programs* expenditures lower than expected by \$700,000 due to the reduction of instructional staffing, lower than expected retiree hospitalization costs, and lower supplies and materials spending.
- The *added needs* expenditures were lower than expected by \$270,000 due to lower than expected staffing costs and by \$120,000 due to lower than expected Special Education enrollment (i.e. tuition and Special Education Billback).
- The *adult and continuing education* expenditures were higher by \$49,000 due to the addition of 1 instructional staff member not included in the final budget.
- The *support services* expenditures were higher than expected by \$250,000 due to the additional spending of Title I school improvement funds for staff training and the addition of an Educator on Loan funded by Reading First.
- The *pupil transportation* expenditures were lower than expected by \$149,000 due to lower than expected Special Education enrollment.

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#### **Capital Assets and Debt Administration**

Capital Assets – At June 30, 2007, the District had over \$26.2 million in net capital assets, including land, buildings, furniture and equipment as shown below. The District began projects to replace the roofs on two elementary buildings, added security systems to two buildings, purchased a new play system and made parking lot improvements. The depreciation expensed charged to the District was \$1.1 million.

	_	2007		2006
Land	\$	1,475,734	\$	1,475,734
Construction in progress		172,241		167,187
Land Improvements		176,256		167,584
<b>Buildings and Improvements</b>		22,870,876		23,400,955
Equipment		1,347,826		1,594,361
Vehicles		78,545		107,453
Total	\$	26,121,478	\$	26,913,274

More detailed information about capital assets can be found in Note E of these financial statements.

Debt Administration – At June 30, 2007, the District had almost \$26.2 million in general obligation bonds and other long-term debt outstanding as shown below. During the year, the District began repayment on its School Bond Loan Fund.

	2007	2006 (as restated)
1999 Building General Obligation Bonds	\$ 1,205,000	\$ 1,760,000
2006 Building General Obligation Bonds	21,590,590	21,570,465
Durant Bond Obligations	491,742	491,742
School Bond Loan Fund	2,430,343	2,556,947
Early Retirement Incentives and		
Compensated Absences	313,183	339,261
Capital Leases and other	154,897	227,844
Total	\$ <u>26,185,755</u>	\$ 26,946,259

More detailed information about long-term debt can be found in Note J of these financial statements.

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### <u>Currently Known Facts, Decisions, and Conditions</u> <u>Affecting the 2007/2008 Fiscal Year</u>

- The State of Michigan currently begins their State Aid payment cycle in mid-October, which creates a window of time in which no cash is coming in, thus causing the District to borrow \$2,700,000 in August 2007, which will mature August 2008.
- The state retirement rate has decreased to 16.72% from 17.74% in the prior year.
- The district is experiencing declining enrollment.
- There has been an increase in the State of Michigan Per Pupil funding amount
- The district is currently looking into an energy efficiency program that will effectively reduce future energy costs.

#### **Requests for Information**

This financial report is designed to provide the district's citizens, taxpayers, parents, students, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances, and to show how the District is accountable for the money it receives. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report, or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to Mr. Dana M. Bryant, Superintendent, Muskegon Heights Public Schools, 2603 Leahy Street, Muskegon Heights, MI 49444, telephone number (231) 830-3221.



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

November 30, 2007

Board of Education School District of the City of Muskegon Heights Muskegon Heights, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights (the School District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the Schools District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights, as of June 30, 2007, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* we have also issued our report dated November 30, 2007, on our consideration of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

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The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages i - x and page 28, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The statistical data included on pages 30 - 38 has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

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#### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

June 30, 2007

		Governmental activities
	ASSETS	
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 1,558,277
Receivables		394,231
Due from other governmental units		4,699,200
Prepaid expenses		25,688
Inventories		15,041
Total current assets		6,692,437
NONCURRENT ASSETS		
Capital assets, net		
Nondepreciable		1,647,975
Depreciable Bond issuance costs, net		24,473,503 396,923
Note and interest receivable		576,863
Total noncurrent assets		27,095,264
Total assets		33,787,701
	IABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES		. =00.000
State aid loan		2,700,000
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		2,888,047
Due to other governmental units		585,008
Deferred revenue		181,916
Bonds and other obligations, due within one year		1,025,100
Total current liabilities		7,380,071
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES		
Bonds and other obligations, less amounts due within one year		25,160,655
Accrued interest		85,121
Total noncurrent liabilities		25,245,776
Total liabilities		32,625,847
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		4,515,191
Restricted for debt service		14,041
Unrestricted		(3,367,378)
Total net assets		\$ 1,161,854

### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the year ended June 30, 2007

				Progr Charges for	am Re	venue		Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets Governmental
Functions/Programs		Expenses		services	•	d contributions		activities
Governmental activities		Expenses		SCI VICCS	and	Contributions	•	activities
Instruction	\$	12,143,708	\$	9,598	\$	4,040,273	\$	(8,093,837)
Support services	_	10,409,963	7	393,958	_	3,606,788	7	(6,409,217)
Community services		1,003,238		-		996,436		(6,802)
Food services		1,156,590		98,908		1,076,296		18,614
Athletics		314,734		53,252		-		(261,482)
Interest on long-term debt		1,179,993		-		16,000		(1,163,993)
Unallocated depreciation and amortization	•	1,215,616					•	(1,215,616)
Total governmental activities	\$	27,423,842	\$	555,716	\$	9,735,793		(17,132,333)
General revenues								
Property taxes levied for								
General purposes								1,638,110
Debt service								1,521,130
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs								13,601,576
Investment earnings								107,494
Miscellaneous								12,351
Total general revenues								16,880,661
Change in net assets								(251,672)
Net assets at July 1, 2006, as restated								1,413,526
Net assets at June 30, 2007							\$	1,161,854

#### BALANCE SHEET

Governmental Funds June 30, 2007

	_	General Fund		999 Building apital Projects Fund	<u>g</u>	Other covernmental funds	:	Total governmental funds
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	558,746	\$	995,440	\$	4,091	\$	1,558,277
Receivables		387,900		-		6,331		394,231
Due from other governmental units		4,639,539		-		59,661		4,699,200
Due from other funds		251,854		30,538		260,163		542,555
Prepaid expenses		25,688		-		-		25,688
Inventories		1,575		-		13,466		15,041
Total assets	\$	5,865,302	\$	1,025,978	\$	343,712	\$_	7,234,992
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES (DEFICIT)								
Liabilities								
State aid loan	\$	2,700,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	2,700,000
Accounts payable		617,297		78,701		171,297		867,295
Accrued liabilities		1,843,743		-		10,527		1,854,270
Due to other governmental units		585,008		-		-		585,008
Due to other funds		290,701		-		251,854		542,555
Deferred revenue		599,932		-		-		599,932
Total liabilities		6,636,681		78,701		433,678		7,149,060
Fund balances (deficit)								
Reserved								
Inventories and prepaid expenses		27,263		-		13,466		40,729
Debt service		-		-		265,644		265,644
Capital projects		-		947,277		-		947,277
Unreserved								
Undesignated								
General Fund		(798,642)		-		-		(798,642)
School service		<u>-</u>	_	<u>-</u>	_	(369,076)		(369,076)
Total fund balances (deficit)		(771,379)		947,277		(89,966)		85,932
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$_	5,865,302	\$	1,025,978	\$	343,712	\$_	7,234,992

### RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

June 30, 2007

Total fund balance—governmental funds		\$ 85,932
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and		
are not reported in the governmental funds.		
Cost of capital assets	\$ 39,200,094	
Accumulated depreciation	(13,078,616)	26,121,478
Bond issuance costs are not capitalized and amortized in the governmental funds.		
Bond issuance costs	666,430	
Accumulated amortization	(269,507)	396,923
Other long-term note and interest receivable in governmental activities is not reported in the governmental funds.		576,863
Accrued interest in governmental activities is not reported in the governmental funds.		(251,603)
Deferred revenue reported on the balance sheet that does not provide current financial		
resources is not reported as revenue in the governmental funds.		418,016
Long-term liabilities in governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period and are not reported in the governmental funds.		
Bonds and notes payable	(25,872,572)	
Compensated absences	(169,183)	
Early retirement incentives	(144,000)	 (26,185,755)
Net assets of governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets		\$ 1,161,854

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

#### Governmental Funds

For the year ended June 30, 2007

		General Fund		1999 Building Capital Projects Fund		Other governmental funds		Total governmental funds
REVENUES	_			•			-	
Local sources								
Property taxes	\$	1,638,110	\$	-	\$	1,521,130	\$	3,159,240
Investment earnings		45,271		30,033		32,190		107,494
Fees and charges		399,586		-		152,160		551,746
Other		117,207			_		_	117,207
Total local sources		2,200,174		30,033		1,705,480		3,935,687
State sources		16,374,340		-		73,989		16,448,329
Federal sources		5,001,747			_	1,002,307		6,004,054
Total revenues		23,576,261		30,033		2,781,776		26,388,070
EXPENDITURES								
Instruction		12,160,103		-		-		12,160,103
Support services		10,507,738		-		-		10,507,738
Community services		1,003,238		-		-		1,003,238
Food services		-		-		1,156,590		1,156,590
Athletics		-		-		314,734		314,734
Debt service								
Principal		-		-		555,000		555,000
Interest and other charges		-		-		1,277,074		1,277,074
Capital projects	_	26,252	_	285,445	_	-	-	311,697
Total expenditures	_	23,697,331	_	285,445	_	3,303,398	-	27,286,174
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		(121,070)		(255,412)		(521,622)		(898,104)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers from other governmental units								
and other transactions		500,096		-		-		500,096
Transfers in		-		-		250,000		250,000
Transfers out	_	(250,000)			_		_	(250,000)
Total other financing sources (uses)	_	250,096	_	-	_	250,000	-	500,096
Net change in fund balances		129,026		(255,412)		(271,622)		(398,008)
Fund balances (deficit) at July 1, 2006	_	(900,405)	_	1,202,689	_	181,656	-	483,940
Fund balances (deficits) at June 30, 2007	\$	(771,379)	\$	947,277	\$	(89,966)	\$	85,932

### RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the year ended June 30, 2007

Net change in fund balances—total governmental funds			\$ (398,008)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:			
Governmental funds report outlays for capital assets and bond issuance costs as expenditures; in the Statement of Activities these costs are depreciated and amortized over their estimated useful lives, respectively.  Depreciation and amortization expense	\$	(1,215,616)	
Capital outlay	_	328,357	(887,259)
Interest income on long-term note receivable is recorded in the Statement of Activities when earned, but is not reported in governmental funds until received.			16,000
Revenue reported in the Statement of Activities that does not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenue in the governmental funds.			268,004
Debt proceeds are other financing sources in the governmental funds, but the proceeds increase long-term obligations in the Statement of Net Assets.			(119,860)
Repayment of principal on long-term obligations is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets.			854,286
Interest expense on long-term obligations is recorded in the Statement of Activities when incurred, but is not reported in the governmental funds until paid.			(10,913)
Compensated absences and early retirement incentives are reported on the accrual method in the Statement of Activities and reported as expenditures when financial resources are used			24.056
in the governmental funds.			 26,078
Change in net assets of governmental activities			\$ (251,672)

### STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Fiduciary Funds June 30, 2007

	_	Agency funds
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$_	41,958
LIABILITIES		
Deposits held for others	\$	41,958

June 30, 2007

#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights (School District) have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the School District's accounting policies are described below.

#### **Reporting Entity**

The School District is governed by an elected seven-member Board of Education (Board), which has responsibility and control over all activities related to public school education within the School District. The School District receives funding from local, state, and federal government sources and must comply with all of the requirements of these funding source entities. However, the School District is not included in any other governmental reporting entity as defined by generally accepted accounting principles. In addition, the School District's reporting entity does not contain any component units as defined in Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 14. Board members have decision-making authority, the power to designate management, the ability to significantly influence operations, and the primary accountability for fiscal matters.

#### District-wide and Fund Financial Statements

**District-wide Financial Statements** – The primary focus of district-wide financial statements is on the sustainability of the School District as an entity and the change in the School District's net assets resulting from the current year's activities. The district-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the School District. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. The district-wide financial statements categorize primary activities as either governmental or business type. All of the School District's activities are classified as governmental activities.

In the district-wide Statement of Net Assets, the governmental activities column (a) is presented on a consolidated basis and (b) is reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. The School District's net assets are reported in three parts – invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net assets; and unrestricted net assets.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. The School District first utilizes restricted resources to finance qualifying activities. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. *Program revenues* include 1) charges paid by recipients who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods or services by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. State Foundation Aid, certain revenue from the intermediate school district, and other unrestricted items are not included as program revenues but instead as *general revenues*.

The district-wide Statement of Activities reports both the gross and net cost of each of the School District's functions. The functions are also supported by general revenues (property taxes, certain intergovernmental revenues and charges, etc.). The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses by related program revenues and operating grants. Program revenues must be directly associated with the function. Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants. The School District does not allocate indirect costs.

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#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued

#### District-wide and Fund Financial Statements—Continued

**Fund financial statements** – Fund financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from district-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

**Governmental funds** – Governmental funds are those funds through which most School District functions typically are financed. The acquisition, use and balances of the School District's expendable financial resources and the related current liabilities are accounted for through governmental funds.

The School District reports the following major governmental funds:

- The *General Fund* is the School District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the School District, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.
- The 1999 Building Capital Projects Fund accounts for the use of the proceeds from the 1999 School Building and Site Bonds. The Bonds were approved for issuance on March 9, 1999 and may be used for school building and site purposes.

The other nonmajor governmental funds are reported within the following types:

- The *special revenue funds* account for revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes (not including expendable trusts or major capital projects). The School District accounts for its food service and athletic activities in the school service special revenue funds.
- The *debt service funds* account for the resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds.

**Fiduciary funds** – Fiduciary funds account for assets held by the School District in a trustee capacity or as an agent on behalf of others. Trust funds account for assets held by the School District under the terms of a formal trust agreement. Fiduciary funds are not included in the district-wide statements.

• The *agency fund* is custodial in nature and does not present results of operations or have a measurement focus. Agency funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. This fund is used to account for assets that the School District holds for others in an agency capacity (primarily student activities).

#### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

#### **Accrual Method**

The district-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting* as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants, categorical aids and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation—Continued

#### **Modified Accrual Method**

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. With this measurement focus, operating statements present increases and decreases in net current assets, and unreserved fund balance is a measure of available spendable resources. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be *available* when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the School District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, unrestricted state aid, intergovernmental grants, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the School District.

#### **State Revenue**

The State of Michigan utilizes a foundation grant approach which provides for a specific annual amount of revenue per pupil based on a statewide formula. The Foundation is funded from state and local sources. Revenues from state sources are primarily governed by the School Aid Act and the School Code of Michigan. The Michigan Department of Education administers the allocation of state funds to school districts based on information supplied by the school districts. For the year ended June 30, 2007, the foundation allowance was based on pupil membership counts taken in February and September of 2006.

The state portion of the foundation is provided primarily by a state education property tax millage of 6 mills and an allocated portion of state sales and other taxes. The local portion of the foundation is funded primarily by non-homestead property taxes which may be levied at a rate of up to 18 mills. The state revenue is recognized during the foundation period and is funded through payments from October 2006 to August 2007. Thus, the unpaid portion at June 30, 2007 is reported as due from other governmental units.

The School District also receives revenue from the state to administer certain categorical education programs. State rules require that revenue earmarked for these programs be used for its specific purpose. Certain governmental funds require an accounting to the state of the expenditures incurred. For categorical funds meeting this requirement, funds received, which are not expended by the close of the fiscal year are recorded as deferred revenue. Other categorical funding is recognized when the appropriation is received.

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#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued

#### Other Accounting Policies

#### **Deposit and Investments**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

The School District reports its investments in accordance with GASB Statement No. 31, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and for External Investment Pools. Under this standard, certain investments are valued at fair value as determined by quoted market prices or by estimated fair values when quoted market prices are not available. The standard also provides that certain investments are valued at cost (or amortized cost) when they are of a short-term duration, the rate of return is fixed, and the School District intends to hold the investment until maturity.

State statutes authorize the School District to invest in bonds and other direct and certain indirect obligations of the U.S. Treasury; certificates of deposit, savings accounts, deposit accounts, or depository receipts of a bank, savings and loan association, or credit union, which is a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, or National Credit Union Administration, respectively; in commercial paper rated at the time of purchase within the three highest classifications established by not less than two standard rating services and which matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase. The School District is also authorized to invest in U. S. Government or federal agency obligation repurchase agreements, bankers' acceptances of U.S. banks, and mutual funds composed of investments as outlined above. The School District's deposits and investments are in accordance with statutory authority.

#### **Interfund Receivables and Payables**

Activities between funds that are representative of lending or borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the non-current portion of interfund loans). All other outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds". The School District had no advances between funds.

#### **Property Taxes**

Property taxes levied by the School District are collected by various municipalities and periodically remitted to the School District. The taxes are levied as of July 1 and December 1 and are due upon receipt of the billing by the taxpayer and become a lien on the first day of the levy year. The actual due dates are September 14 and February 14, after which time the bills become delinquent and penalties and interest may be assessed by the collecting entity.

For the year ended June 30, 2007, the School District levied the following amounts per \$1,000 of taxable valuation:

<u>Fund</u>	Mills
General Fund - Non-homestead	18.0
Debt service funds - Homestead and non-homestead	12.5

#### **Inventories**

Food service inventory is valued at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out) or market. The inventory is expendable supplies held for consumption and is recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased. Inventories for commodities are recorded as revenue when utilized.

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#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued

#### Other Accounting Policies—Continued

#### **Prepaid Items**

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond the fiscal year end are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amount is recorded at the time of the purchase and an expenditure/expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed.

#### **Restricted Assets**

Assets are reported as restricted when limitations on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by enabling legislation. Restricted assets include bond proceeds to be used for capital construction.

#### **Capital Assets**

Capital assets purchased or acquired are capitalized at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. Capital assets are defined by the School District as assets with an initial cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related fixed assets. The School District does not have infrastructure-type assets.

Depreciation is provided on the straight-line basis over the following useful lives:

Land improvements	10-15 years
Buildings and improvements	10-40 years
Buses and other vehicles	10 years
Furniture and other equipment	5-10 years

Land and certain land improvements are deemed to be inexhaustible capital assets, as the economic benefit or service potential is used up so slowly that the estimated useful life is extraordinarily long. These inexhaustible assets are not depreciated.

#### **Compensated Absences**

The liability for compensated absences reported in the district-wide statement consists of unpaid, accumulated sick leave balances. The liability has been calculated using the vesting method, in which leave amounts for both employees who are currently eligible to receive termination payments and other employees who are expected to become eligible in the future to receive such payments upon termination are included.

For fund financial statements, no compensated absence liability is reported for current employees and a compensated absence liability is reported for terminated employees only when the termination date is on or before year end.

#### **Early Retirement Incentives**

For district-wide financial statements, the liability for early retirement incentives is reported when legally enforceable. For fund financial statements, the liability for early retirement incentives is reported either 1) on the due date when there is a specified due date or 2) on the retirement date if it is before year end, when there is not a specified legally enforceable due date.

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#### NOTE A—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued

#### Other Accounting Policies—Continued

#### **Long-term Obligations**

In the district-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance cost, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

#### **Net Assets In District-wide Financial Statements**

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities and are segregated into the following components:

- Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, notes, and other debt that are attributed to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Pursuant to the Michigan School Accounting Manual Referent Group guidance for Michigan public school districts, School Bond Loan Fund debt is not considered to be capital related debt.
- Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by
  creditors, grantors, contributions, and the like, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or
  enabling legislation.
- Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets which do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often are designated, to indicate that management does not consider them to be available for general operations. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources which are imposed by management, but can be removed or modified.

#### **Fund Equity In Fund Financial Statements**

The School District reserves those portions of governmental fund balances that are legally segregated for specific future use or which do not represent available expendable resources and therefore are not available for appropriations for expenditures. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity which is available for appropriation in future periods. Fund balance reserves are established for encumbrances, inventory of materials and supplies, prepaid items, deferred charges and advances to other funds, when applicable. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

#### **Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statement and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

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#### NOTE B—PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT

An error reported in the School District's previously issued financial statements was corrected this year. The June 30, 2006 governmental activities net assets has been restated to correct this error.

The restatement of net assets as of June 30, 2006 is as follows:

Net assets at June 30, 2006	\$	1,711,630
Increase in long-term obligations due to		
error in computing interest expense		
on bond refunding	_	(298,104)
Net assets at July 1, 2006, as restated	\$_	1,413,526

#### NOTE C—STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

#### **Budgets and Budgetary Accounting**

Budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the General Fund and special revenue funds. All annual appropriations lapse at year end.

The School District follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- 1. The Superintendent submits to the School Board a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing on July 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them. The level of control for the budgets is at the functional level as set forth and presented as required supplementary information.
- 2. Public hearings are conducted to obtain taxpayer comments.
- 3. Prior to July 1, the budget is legally adopted by Board of Education resolution pursuant to the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act (P.A. 621 of 1978). The Act requires that the budget be amended prior to the end of the fiscal year when necessary to adjust appropriations if it appears that revenues and other financing sources will be less than anticipated or so that expenditures will not be in excess of original estimates. Expenditures shall not be made or incurred, unless authorized in the budget, in excess of the amount appropriated. Violations, if any, are noted in the required supplementary information section.
- 4. The Superintendent is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts within major expenditure functions within any fund; however, these transfers and any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the Board of Education.
- 5. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year.
- 6. The budget is amended during the year with supplemental appropriations, the last one approved prior to June 30, 2007. The School District does not consider these amendments to be significant.

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#### NOTE C—STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY—Continued

#### **Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations**

For the year ended June 30, 2007, expenditures exceeded appropriations in adult and continuing education, instructional staff, and business functions by \$48,895, \$253,189, and \$40,334, respectively.

#### **Fund Deficits**

As of June 30, 2007, the General Fund had a deficit of \$771,379, the Athletic Fund had a deficit of \$69,359 and the Food Service Fund had a deficit of \$286,251. The deficits will be eliminated through future operations, which may include reduction of operating expenditures and interfund transfers.

#### **School Bond Construction Compliance**

The capital projects fund includes capital project activities funded with bonds issued after May 1, 1994. For this capital project, the School District has complied with the applicable provisions of §1351(a) of the State of Michigan's School Code.

Following is a summary of the revenue and expenditures in the 1999 Building Capital Projects Fund from the inception of the fund through June 30, 2007.

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	1999 Building
	Capital
	Projects Fund
Revenue and bond proceeds	\$ 29,591,447
Expenditures	28,644,170

#### NOTE D—DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

As of June 30, 2007, the School District had the following investments:

	Weighted						
	Fair	maturity	& Poor's				
<b>Investment Type</b>	value	(Days)	rating	Percent			
External investment pool	\$ 2,384,220	21	A1	100%			

The School District voluntarily invests certain excess funds in external investment pools (Pools). The Pools are external investment pools of "qualified" investments for Michigan school districts. The Pools are not regulated nor are they registered with the SEC. The fair value of the School District's investments is the same as the value of the Pool shares.

**Interest rate risk.** The School District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

**Credit risk.** State law limits investments in commercial paper and corporate bonds to the three highest classifications issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The School District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

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#### NOTE D—DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS—Continued

**Concentration of credit risk.** The School District does not have a concentration of credit risk policy. Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the School District investment in a single issuer, by diversifying the investment portfolio so that the impact of potential losses from any one type of security or issuer will be minimized.

**Custodial credit risk - deposits.** In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the School District's deposits may not be returned to it. As of June 30, 2007, the School District's bank balance of \$188,669 was not exposed to custodial credit risk because it was fully insured.

**Custodial credit risk - investments.** The School District does not have a custodial credit risk policy for investments. This is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the School District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party.

**Foreign currency risk.** The School District is not authorized to invest in investments which have this type of risk.

#### NOTE E—CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 was as follows:

		Balance July 1, 2006		Additions		Deductions		Balance June 30, 2007
Capital assets, not being depreciated:	-	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	-		-		•	
Land	\$	1,475,734	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,475,734
Construction in progress	_	167,187	_	172,241		167,187		172,241
Total capital assets, not being depreciated		1,642,921		172,241		167,187		1,647,975
Capital assets, being depreciated:								
Land improvements		570,003		25,572		-		595,575
Buildings and improvements		33,536,268		253,697		-		33,789,965
Equipment		2,534,037		44,034		-		2,578,071
Vehicles	-	588,508	_	-	_	-		588,508
Total capital assets, being depreciated		37,228,816		323,303		-		37,552,119

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#### NOTE E—CAPITAL ASSETS—Continued

		Balance					Balance
	_	July 1, 2006	_	Additions	 Deductions		June 30, 2007
Less accumulated depreciation:	_		_			-	_
Land improvements	\$	402,419	\$	16,900	\$ -	\$	419,319
Buildings and improvements		10,135,313		783,776	-		10,919,089
Equipment		939,676		290,569	-		1,230,245
Vehicles	_	481,055	_	28,908	 		509,963
Total accumulated depreciation	-	11,958,463		1,120,153	 		13,078,616
Total capital assets, being							
depreciated, net	-	25,270,353		(796,850)	 	•	24,473,503
Capital assets, net	\$	26,913,274	\$	(624,906)	\$ 167,187	\$	26,121,181

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation expense has been charged as unallocated depreciation.

#### NOTE F—BOND ISSUANCE COSTS

Bond issuance cost activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 was as follows:

	Balance					Balance		
	July 1, 2006		Additions		Additions Deduction		Deductions	June 30, 2007
Bond issuance costs Less accumulated amortization	\$ 666,430 174,044	\$	- 95,463	\$	<del>-</del> -	\$ 666,430 269,507		
Bond issuance costs, net	\$ 492,386	\$	(95,463)	\$	-	\$ 396,923		

### Amortization

Amortization expense has been charged as unallocated amortization.

#### NOTE G—INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2007 is as follows:

#### **Due to/from other funds:**

Receivable fund	Payable fund	<u>Amount</u>
General Fund	Other governmental funds	\$ 251,854
1999 Building Capital Projects Fund	General Fund	30,538
Other governmental funds	General Fund	 260,163
		\$ 542,555

The outstanding balances between funds result mainly from the time lag between the dates that (1) interfund goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, (2) transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and (3) payments between funds are made.

#### **Interfund Transfers**

The General Fund transferred \$250,000 to the Athletics Fund to finance operations.

#### NOTE H—SHORT-TERM DEBT

The School District issues State of Michigan school aid anticipation notes to provide short-term operating funds. The notes are obligations of the General Fund, which received the note proceeds, and are backed by the full faith, credit and resources of the School District. The short-term debt activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 follows:

		Balance				Balance
		July 1, 2006	Additions	Reductions		June 30, 2007
State aid anticipation note	_				-	
2005/2006 3.50% due July 2006	\$	2,600,000	\$ -	\$ 2,600,000	\$	-
2006/2007 4.50% due August 2007		-	 2,700,000	 -	_	2,700,000
	\$_	2,600,000	\$ 2,700,000	\$ 2,600,000	\$	2,700,000

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#### NOTE I—DEFERRED REVENUE

Governmental funds report deferred revenue in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of deferred revenue reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

	Ţ	<u>Jnavailable</u>	_	Unearned
Due from other governmental units	\$	418,016	\$	_
State aid grant funds received prior to spending funds	_		_	181,916
Total deferred revenue for governmental funds	\$	418,016	\$	181,916

#### NOTE J—LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

The School District issues bonds, notes and other contractual commitments to provide for the acquisition, construction and improvement of major capital facilities and for the acquisition of certain equipment. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the School District. Other long-term obligations include School Bond Loan Fund, capital leases for office equipment, equipment loan payable and Education Interconnection and Consortium Financing Agreement.

#### **Summary of Long-term Obligations**

The following is a summary of long-term obligations activity for the School District for the year ended June 30, 2007:

Balance								Balance		Due within
	_	July 1, 2006		Additions		Reductions		June 30, 2007	_	one year
Governmental activities:	_						-		_	
Bonds	\$	23,822,207	\$	-	\$	534,875	\$	23,287,332	\$	585,000
Other obligations		2,784,791		119,860		319,411		2,585,240		401,100
Early retirement incentives		159,000		32,000		47,000		144,000		39,000
Compensated absences	_	180,261		26,889	_	37,967	_	169,183	_	-
	\$	26,946,259	\$	178,749	\$	939,253	\$	26,185,755	\$_	1,025,100

In the previous schedule, the addition for other obligations of \$119,860 is accrued interest on the School Bond Loan Fund.

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#### NOTE J—LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS—Continued

General obligation bonds consist of the following:

1999 Building General Obligation Bond partially refunded February 2006; payable in annual installments ranging from \$585,000 to \$620,000 due May 2008 to 2009; plus interest at 5.5% payable semi-annually.

\$ 1,205,000

2006 General Obligation Refunding Bond payable in annual installments ranging from \$50,000 to \$1,580,000 due May 2009 to 2029; plus interest ranging from 3.25% to 5% payable semi-annually.

22,030,000

Less issuance discount

(117,210)

Less deferred amount on refunding

(322,200)

Durant obligations payable in annual installments ranging from \$46,348 to \$285,423 including interest at 4.76% due May 2009 to 2013.

The School District is only obligated to make the annual payments to the extent of annual State of Michigan state school aid appropriations.

491,742

Total bonded debt

23,287,332

#### Other obligations

School Bond Loan Fund payable as soon as annual tax collections exceed annual debt service payment requirements; interest payable of \$275,499 is included at interest rates between 2.625% and 4.875%

2,430,343

Capital lease obligations payable in monthly installments of approximately \$5,880 including interest ranging from 4.04% to 9.58%; final payment due January 2010

108,298

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#### NOTE J—LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS—Continued

#### **Summary of Long-term Obligations—Continued**

Other obligations—Continued

Education Interconnection and Consortium  Financing Agreement payable in annual		
installments of \$4,391 due March 2008 to	Ф	26.240
2013	\$	26,348
Equipment loan payable in annual installments		
of \$10,125 through August 2008; plus		
interest at 6.04%		20,251
Total other obligations		2,585,240
Early retirement incentives		144,000
Compensated absences	_	169,183
	\$_	26,185,755

The Durant bonds, including interest, were issued in anticipation of payment to the School District as appropriated and to be appropriated by the State of Michigan under Section 11g(3) of Act 94 (State Aid payments). The School District has pledged and assigned to the bondholder all rights to these State Aid payments as security for the Bond. The note receivable on the Statement of Net Assets is for the future appropriations from the State of Michigan to pay the Durant obligations.

The annual requirements of principal and interest to amortize bonded debt, capital leases, equipment loan payable, Education Interconnection and Consortium Financing Agreement, School Bond Loan Fund, and early retirement incentives outstanding as of June 30, 2007 follows:

Year ending June 30,	_	Principal	_	Interest	_	Total
2008	\$	1,025,100	\$	1,006,819	\$	2,031,919
2009		878,838		980,771		1,859,609
2010		1,194,287		1,038,574		2,232,861
2011		1,060,257		913,800		1,974,057
2012		1,175,675		884,778		2,060,453
2013-2017		5,856,825		3,888,033		9,744,858
2018-2022		5,460,000		2,857,313		8,317,313
2023-2027		6,710,000		1,594,639		8,304,639
2028-2030	_	3,095,000	_	210,375	_	3,305,375
	\$_	26,455,982	\$_	13,375,102	\$	39,831,084

June 30, 2007

#### NOTE K—EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

#### Employee Retirement System - Defined Benefit Plan

**Plan description** – The School District contributes to the statewide Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (MPSERS), a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the nine member board of the MPSERS. The MPSERS provides retirement benefits and post-retirement benefits for health, dental and vision. The MPSERS was established by Public Act 136 of 1945 and operated under the provisions of Public Act 300 of 1980, as amended. The MPSERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for MPSERS. That report may be obtained by writing to or calling:

Office of Retirement Systems Michigan Public School Employees Retirement System P.O. Box 30171 Lansing Michigan 48909 1-800-381-5111

Funding policy – Member Investment Plan (MIP) members enrolled in MIP prior to January 1, 1990 contribute a permanently fixed rate of 3.9 percent of gross wages. The MIP contribution rate was 4.0 percent from January 1, 1987, the effective date of the MIP, until January 1, 1990 when it was reduced to 3.9 percent. Members first hired January 1, 1990 or later and returning members who did not work between January 1, 1987 through December 31, 1989 contribute at the following graduated permanently fixed contribution rate: 3 percent of the first \$5,000; 3.6 percent of \$5,001 through \$15,000; 4.3 percent of all wages over \$15,000.

Basic Plan members make no contributions. For a limited period ending December 31, 1992, an active Basic Plan member could enroll in the MIP by paying the contributions that would have been made had enrollment occurred initially on January 1, 1987 or on the date of hire, plus interest. MIP contributions at the rate of 3.9 percent of gross wages begin at enrollment. Market rate interest is posted to member accounts on July 1st on all MIP monies on deposit for 12 months. If a member leaves MPSERS service and no pension is payable, the member's accumulated contribution plus interest, if any, are refundable.

The School District is required to contribute the full actuarial funding contribution amount to fund pension benefits, plus an additional amount to fund retiree health care benefit amounts on a cash disbursement basis. The rate for the year ended June 30, 2007 was 17.74 percent of payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and the School District are established and may be amended by the MPSERS Board of Trustees. The School District contributions to MPSERS for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006 and 2005 were approximately \$2,004,000, \$2,159,000, and \$1,882,000, respectively, and were equal to the required contribution for those years.

The School District is not responsible for the payment of retirement benefits which is the responsibility of the State of Michigan.

**Other post-employment benefits** – Under the MPSERS Act, all retirees have the option of continuing health, dental and vision coverage.

# School District of the City of Muskegon Heights NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—CONTINUED

June 30, 2007

#### NOTE K—EMPLOYEE BENEFITS—Continued

### Post-Retirement Health Care Benefits

Pursuant to employment contracts, certain employees electing early retirement are provided post-retirement health benefits which vary depending on the plan chosen and their age at retirement. Health care benefits terminate the month the person attains eligibility for full social security benefits, or dies, whichever occurs first; however, no more than ten (10) years of payments will be made. The School District records expenditures for these benefits when premiums are due. Future benefits will be funded out of future revenues. The cost of these benefits for the year ended June 30, 2007 was approximately \$490,000 provided to 33 participants.

### NOTE L—COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### **Commitments**

• Operating Leases – The School District has lease agreements expiring at various dates through January 2012. Expense for the year ended June 30, 2007 was approximately \$41,000. The following is a schedule of future minimum rental payments required under operating leases for School District office equipment.

Year ending		
June 30,	_	Amount
2008	\$	36,164
2009		17,130
2010		17,130
2011		9,935
2012	<u>-</u>	4,396
	\$_	84,755

### **Contingencies**

- **Litigation** The School District is a defendant in various lawsuits. Although the outcome of these lawsuits is not presently determinable, in the opinion of the School District's legal counsel, the resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the School District.
- **Grant Programs** The School District participates in grant programs, which are subject to program compliance audits by the grantor or its representatives. Such audits of these programs may be performed at some future date. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the granting agencies cannot be determined at this time. The School District has approximately \$159 thousand in questioned costs resulting from the Single Audit of its federal programs for the year ending June 30, 2007. Based upon prior experience and audit results, the School District believes it is not likely it will incur significant losses on possible grant disallowances.

## School District of the City of Muskegon Heights NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—CONTINUED

June 30, 2007

#### NOTE M—OTHER INFORMATION

**Economic Dependence** – Prior years revision of the State of Michigan (State) school aid formula for local public schools significantly increased State school aid, and the change in property tax laws significantly decreased local property tax revenues. As a result, State school aid represents approximately 68 percent of General Fund revenues.

**Risk Management** – The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; error and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The School District participates in two distinct pools of educational institutions within the State of Michigan for self-insuring property and casualty and workers' disability compensation. The pools are considered public entity risk pools. The School District pays annual premiums under a retrospectively rated policy to the pools for the respective insurance coverage. In the event a pool's total claims and expenses for a policy year exceed the total normal annual premiums for said years, all members of the specific pool's policy year may be subject to special assessment to make up the deficiency. The workers' compensation pool and the property casualty pool maintain reinsurance for claims generally in excess of \$500,000 for each occurrence with the overall maximum coverage varying depending on the specific type coverage of reinsurance.

The School District continues to carry commercial insurance for other risks of loss, including employee health and accident insurance. No settlements have occurred in excess of coverage for June 30, 2007 or any of the prior three years.

### NOTE N—SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On August 16, 2007, the School District received the proceeds of a \$2,700,000 State of Michigan (state) school aid anticipation note payable. The note payable is not subject to redemption prior to its maturity on August 21, 2008 and bears interest at the rate of 4.45 percent per annum. The School District pledged for payment of the note payable, the amount of state school aid to be received plus the full faith, credit, and resources of the School District.



### REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE

General Fund

For the year ended June 30, 2007

	Budgeted amounts							Variance with final budget-positive	
	_	Original	ou ui	Final		Actual		(negative)	
REVENUES	_	Originar	-	- 11141		Tietaai		(Hegative)	
Local sources	\$	2,208,000	\$	2,217,498	\$	2,200,174	\$	(17,324)	
State sources		17,733,180		16,780,122		16,374,340		(405,782)	
Federal sources		5,101,418		5,289,830		5,001,747		(288,083)	
Incoming transfers and other transactions	_	782,980	_	780,539	_	500,096	_	(280,443)	
Total revenues		25,825,578		25,067,989		24,076,357		(991,632)	
EXPENDITURES									
Instruction									
Basic programs		9,383,980		9,166,590		8,461,668		704,922	
Added needs		4,736,300		4,024,010		3,627,540		396,470	
Adult and continuing education		-		22,000		70,895		(48,895)	
Support services									
Pupil		1,956,440		1,892,460		1,914,660		(22,200)	
Instructional staff		1,815,100		2,007,790		2,260,979		(253,189)	
General administration		453,060		460,090		454,352		5,738	
School administration		1,073,610		1,116,860		1,109,874		6,986	
Business		387,210		481,600		521,934		(40,334)	
Operations and maintenance		2,675,940		2,607,910		2,590,426		17,484	
Pupil transportation services		1,183,810		1,089,910		940,834		149,076	
Central		642,230		719,230		714,679		4,551	
Community services		986,990		1,027,150		1,003,238		23,912	
Outgoing transfers and other transactions	_	250,000	_	250,000		276,252		(26,252)	
Total expenditures	_	25,544,670	_	24,865,600	_	23,947,331	_	918,269	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$_	280,908	\$_	202,389		129,026	\$_	(73,363)	
Fund balance (deficit) at July 1, 2006					_	(900,405)			
Fund balance (deficit) at June 30, 2007					\$	(771,379)			



### PROPERTY VALUATIONS—HISTORICAL VALUATIONS

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Increase (decrease) over

Year	Homestead	Non-homestead <sup>1</sup>	Taxable value	prior year
2006	\$ 40,158,182	\$ 85,464,750	\$ 125,622,932	4.2 %
2005	38,303,925	82,251,702	120,555,627	3.2
2004	37,387,015	79,448,678	116,835,693	2.2
2003	37,044,912	77,322,645	114,367,557	1.0
2002	35,714,957	77,874,707	113,589,664	2.4

Source: Muskegon County Equalization Department

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Includes Industrial Facilities Tax roles

### **MAJOR TAXPAYERS**

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Taxable values as of June 30, 2007:

Taxpayer	Product/service	Taxable value
Consumers Energy	Utility	\$ 6,221,820
Lift Tech International	Hoists, etc	3,594,569
MAHLE	Engine components	2,603,500
Quality Tool & Stamping	Metal stamping	2,500,200
Anderson Global	Industrial patterns	2,448,500
Tridonn Construction	Construction	1,891,695
Michigan Consolidated Gas Co.	Utility	1,372,000
Versatile Fabrication	Sheet metal fabrication	967,400
American Grease Stick	Break line manufacturing	938,000
Carlton Trust	Trust	735,544
		\$ 23,273,228

The taxable values of the above taxpayers represent 18.5 percent of the School District's 2006 taxable value of \$125,622,932.

Source: Muskegon County Equalization Department

### SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX RATES

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Year ended June 30 2007 2005 2003 2006 2004 Voted 18.0000 18.0000 18.0000 18.0000 18.0000 Debt 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 TOTAL HOMESTEAD 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 12.5000 TOTAL NON-HOMESTEAD 30.5000 30.5000 30.5000 30.5000 30.5000

The School District's 18.0 voted mills will expire with the December 1, 2007 levy.

### STATE AID SUMMARY—FUNDS FROM STATE SOURCES

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Year ended		
June 30	_	Amount
	_	
2007	\$	16,374,340
2006		16,733,578
2005		17,078,742
2004		17,564,166
2003		18,947,328

### OPERATING TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Year ended June 30	Operating Collections to tax levy March 1 each year			Collections plus funding to June 30 each year			
2007	\$ 1,466,196	\$	1,239,368	84.53 %	\$	1,463,076	99.79 %
2006	1,422,888		1,231,067	86.52		1,401,664	98.51
2005	1,300,076		1,011,318	77.79		1,260,106	96.93
2004	1,236,969		972,009	78.58		1,199,450	96.97
2003	1,266,332		977,148	77.16		1,218,658	96.24

### LABOR FORCE

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

A breakdown of the number of employees of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights and their affiliation with organized groups is as follows:

Employees	Number	Bargaining unit	Contract expiration
Administrators	16	Teamsters	06/30/03
Teachers	130	MEA-NEA	08/31/06
Secretarial/Clerical	18	MEA-NEA	06/30/09
Instructional Assistants	40	AFL-CIO	10/15/07
Maintenance/Custodial	13	MEA-NEA	08/16/08
Transportation	8	MEA-NEA	08/16/08
Head Start	11	SEIU	06/30/08
Nonunion	21	N/A	N/A
TOTAL STAFF	<u>257</u>		

#### PENSION FUND

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

For the period from October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2007, the School District will pay an amount equal to 17.74 percent of its employees' wages to the Michigan Public School Employees Retirement System (MPSERS) which is administered by the State of Michigan. The following were the applicable contribution rates required by law for the periods:

October 1, 2005—September 30, 2006	16.34 %
October 1, 2004—September 30, 2005	14.87
October 1, 2003—September 30, 2004	12.99
October 1, 2002—September 30, 2003	12.99
October 1, 2001—September 30, 2002	12.17

These contributions are required by law. Prior to the 1994/95 school year, the School District paid an amount equal to 5 percent of its employees' wages. The School District's contributions for the past five years are shown below. The School District does not have an unfunded accrued liability under MPSERS.

Year ending		Paid to
June 30	_ pe	nsion fund
2007	\$	2,004,000
2006		2,159,000
2005		1,882,000
2004		1,729,000
2003		1,861,000

Effective January 1, 1987, members of MPSERS may irrevocably elect to contribute a percentage of their gross wages on a tax deferred basis to a "member investment plan" (MIP) which qualifies them for additional benefits. The current contribution rate of 3.9 percent became effective January 1, 1990, representing a change from the previous contribution rate of 4 percent. This option to review and adjust the contribution rate is available to MPSERS members, if necessary, every three years. All employees hired after January 1, 1990 will contribute to the plan at a graduated rate of their gross wages. If a member leaves MPSERS service before a retirement benefit has vested, the member's accumulated contributions to MIP, plus interest, if any, are refundable.

### DEBT STATEMENT—DIRECT DEBT

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

Dated	Purpose	Type	Interest spread	Maturities	_	Amount outstanding
5/6/99	Building and Site	UTQ	5.50%	05/01/08-09	\$	1,205,000
2/15/06	Refunding	UTQ	3.25-5%	05/01/09-29	_	22,030,000
					_	23,235,000

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights SCHOOL BOND LOAN FUND (SBLF) PROGRAM

Year ended June 30, 2007 (Unaudited)

As of June 30, 2007, the School District has a School Bond Loan Fund principal balance of \$2,154,843 and interest obligations of \$275,500.

The Bonds are fully qualified as of the date of delivery pursuant to Act 108 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1961, as amended, enacted pursuant to Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963. Under the terms of said constitutional and statutory provisions, if for any reason the School District will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on the Bonds when due, the School District shall borrow, and the State of Michigan (State) shall lend to it from the School Bond Loan Fund established by the State, an amount sufficient to enable the School District to make payment. Article IX, Section 16 of the Michigan Constitution, as implemented by Act 112 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1961, as amended, authorizes the State, without approval of its electors, to borrow from time to time such amounts as shall be required, pledge the State's full faith and credit and issue its notes or bonds therefore, for the purpose of making loans to school districts as provided under such section. Loans to school districts for such purposes are made from the proceeds of such State borrowing.

Complete financial statements of all of the State's funds as included in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) prepared by the State's Department of Management and Budget are available upon request from the Department of Management and Budget, Office of Financial Management, P.O. Box 30026, Lansing, Michigan 48909, telephone (517) 373-1011. The State has agreed to file its CAFR with the Nationally Recognized Securities Information Repositories and the State Information Depository (as described in Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) of the Securities and Exchange Commission) annually, so long as any bonds qualified for participation in the School Bond Loan Fund remain outstanding.

### BRICKLEY DELONG

### **CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS**

November 30, 2007

Board of Education Dana M. Bryant, Superintendent School District of the City of Muskegon Heights Muskegon Heights, Michigan

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007 in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. In addition, because of inherent limitations in internal control, including the possibility of management override of controls, misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected by such controls. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be significant deficiencies and other deficiencies that we consider to be material weaknesses.

A *control deficiency* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or a combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. We consider the attached deficiencies to be significant deficiencies in internal control.

A *material weakness* is a significant deficiency, or a combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. We believe the attached deficiencies, identified as material weaknesses, constitute material weaknesses.

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### MATERIAL WEAKNESSES

Recommendation 1: Account balances should be reconciled to detailed supporting documentation on a timely basis.

During our audit, we noted that general ledger account balances were not reconciled to supporting documentation on a timely basis.

Failure to reconcile general ledger account balances timely can adversely affect the accuracy of internally-prepared monthly financial statements, and, correspondingly, adversely affect the analysis and conclusions as to the School District's financial position and results of operations by management, and other users of such monthly financial statements. Additionally, this condition significantly increases the amount of year end general ledger account analysis and adjusting journal entries by School District personnel, causing significant delays in closing fiscal year financial records and issuing audited financial statements.

The utilization of a monthly closing checklist and written procedures would encourage personnel to review the accuracy of month end balances through analysis of account activity, comparison to supporting documentation and/or reconciliation with detailed schedules.

Recommendation 2: Cash receipts and payroll transactions should be posted timely.

During our audit, we noted that cash receipts and payroll transactions are not being posted to the general ledger timely.

Timely postings would help ensure accurate records, increase the efficiency of performing bank reconciliations in a timely manner, and provide management with up-to-date information.

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES

Recommendation 3: The segregation of duties within the cash receipts and payroll functions should be improved.

During our audit, we noted that the same individual in the cash receipts function is responsible for opening the mail, endorsing checks, making bank deposits, and posting activity to the general ledger. Also, in the payroll function, the same individual is responsible for preparing payroll without management review and has the ability to prepare journal entries. The maintenance of these responsibilities by one individual provides the opportunity for errors or misappropriation of funds to go undetected.

We recommend the receipt and opening of mail and endorsement of checks be segregated from the depositing and recording in the general ledger. We also recommend that payroll be reviewed by an appropriate official.

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—CONTINUED

Recommendation 4: All journal entries should have supporting documentation and be reviewed by an appropriate official.

During our audit, we noted that some journal entries lack supporting documentation and approval by an appropriate official. This lack of support leaves a poor audit trail and provides for difficult subsequent reference as to the nature of the journal entries.

We recommend a formal record be kept of all journal entries made and the details supporting those entries.

Recommendation 5: Long outstanding checks should be investigated and, if appropriate, be written off.

During our audit, we noted certain checks have been outstanding and maintained on bank reconciliations for periods in excess of a year. The appropriate entities should be contacted to determine if additional checks should be issued to the entities by the School District. Alternatively, School District personnel should make a determination as to whether such long outstanding items should be written off.

The investigation of items outstanding in excess of one year and the possible reissuance of new checks or writing off of such old amounts would reduce the time required to prepare account reconciliations and may identify matters which require further review.

Recommendation 6: Controls over internet access to grant programs should be reviewed.

During our audit, we noted that multiple personnel use the same user name and password to access the school lunch reporting and meal claim website. This condition provides the opportunity for personnel to access the system and view/adjust data for which they are not authorized and if fraudulent activity were to occur, it would be difficult to identify the responsible party.

The implementation of individual password/logins to track individual user activity could reduce the opportunity for unauthorized activity and provide a way to hold personnel accountable for their actions.

Recommendation 7: Cash receipts should be deposited timely.

During our audit, we noted several receipts that were not deposited in a timely manner.

The timely deposit of receipts will reduce the possibility of cash receipts being misplaced or misappropriated.

Recommendation 8: City payroll tax withholding should be remitted timely.

During our audit, we noted that city payroll tax withholdings were not submitted to the proper taxing authorities timely.

The timely reconciliation of withholding accounts would ensure the proper payments of amounts withheld from payroll checks.

### SINGLE AUDIT OF FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Financial Report and Independent Auditors' Reports

June 30, 2007

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHERS MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

November 30, 2007

Board of Education School District of the City of Muskegon Heights Muskegon Heights, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007 and have issued our report thereon dated November 30, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over financial reporting.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

A *control deficiency* exists when the design operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses, as Findings 3 - 11, to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting.

A *material weakness* is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

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#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting—Continued

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Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, considered to be material weaknesses. However, of the significant deficiencies described above, we consider Findings 3 - 4 to be material weaknesses.

#### **Compliance**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed two instances of noncompliance and other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which are described as Findings 1 - 2 in Part B of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses.

The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses. We did not audit the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' responses and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Education, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

November 30, 2007

Board of Education School District of the City of Muskegon Heights Muskegon Heights, Michigan

#### **Compliance**

We have audited the compliance of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007. The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' major federal programs are identified in the Summary of Auditors' Results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' compliance with those requirements.

As described in Findings 1 - 2 in Part B of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses, the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights did not comply with requirements regarding Allowable Costs/Cost Principles and Special Tests and Provisions, Highly Qualified Teachers and Paraprofessionals compliance requirements that are applicable to its U.S. Department of Education, Title I, Part A program. Compliance with such requirements is necessary, in our opinion, for the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights to comply with requirements applicable to that program.

In our opinion, except for noncompliance described in the preceding paragraph, the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007. The results of our auditing procedures also disclosed other instances of noncompliance with those requirements, which are required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and which are described as Findings 12 - 15 in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses.

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#### Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' internal control over compliance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the entity's internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses as defined below. However, as discussed below, we identified a deficiency in internal control over compliance that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

A *control deficiency* in an entity's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. We consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in Part C in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses as Finding 11 to be a significant deficiency.

A *material weakness* is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. We did not consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses to be a material weakness.

The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' response to the finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses. We did not audit the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights' response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

### Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

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We have audited the financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007 and have issued our report thereon dated November 30, 2007. Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133 and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Education, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

For the year ended June 30, 2007

				Cash/					
			Accrued	payments		Expenditures		Accrued	
	Federal	Program or	(deferred)	in kind		(accrual basis)		(deferred)	
Federal grantor/pass-through	CFDA	award	revenue	received	Prior	Current	_	revenue	
grantor/program title	number	amount	July 1, 2006	(cash basis)	year (s)	year	Total	June 30, 2007	Notes
U.S. Department of Education									
Passed through Michigan Department									
of Education									
Title I	84.010								
051530 0506		\$ 268,292	\$ 55,212	\$ 55,212	\$ 268,292	\$ -	\$ 268,292	\$ -	
051550 0506		189,000	47,986	67,650	169,336	19,664	189,000	-	
061530 0506		2,081,495	340,556	551,345	1,870,706	210,789	2,081,495	-	5
061530 0607		276,540	-	205,918	-	271,633	271,633	65,715	
071530 0607		2,240,133	-	1,239,766	-	1,904,167	1,904,167	664,401	
071550 0607		75,000	-	-	-	75,000	75,000	75,000	
		5,130,460	443,754	2,119,891	2,308,334	2,481,253	4,789,587	805,116	
Title V	84.298								
050250 0506		1,246	_	46	1,200	46	1,246	-	
060250 0506		27,670		7,986	25,041	2,629	27,670	-	
060250 0607		6,096		-	-	6,096	6,096	6,096	
070250 0607		13,752		9,940	_	13,752	13,752	3,812	
		48,764		17,972	26,241	22,523	48,764	9,908	
Technology Literacy Challenge	84.318	-,	-,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,	,-		.,	
064290 0506		30,160	1,296	2,400	29,056	1,104	30,160	-	
064290 0607		13,830		4,733	-	13,483	13,483	8,750	
074290 0607		22,995		13,162	-	7,420	7,420	(5,742)	
		66,985		20,295	29,056	22,007	51,063	3,008	
Reading First	84.357								
062930 0506	04.557	609,119	112,736	112,736	609,119	_	609,119	_	
062930 0607		669,020		378,783	-	603,704	603,704	224,921	
302,550 3007		1,278,139		491,519	609,119	603,704	1,212,823	224,921	
Title II A	84.367								
050520 0506		19,147	233	233	19,147	-	19,147	-	
060520 0506		351,591	103,407	188,251	266,747	84,844	351,591	-	
060520 0607		29,480		-	-	29,480	29,480	29,480	
070520 0607		339,097	-	232,166	-	282,669	282,669	50,503	
		739,315	103,640	420,650	285,894	396,993	682,887	79,983	
Total passed through Michigan									
Department of Education		7,263,663	666,783	3,070,327	3,258,644	3,526,480	6,785,124	1,122,936	

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS—CONTINUED

For the year ended June 30, 2007

Federal grantor/pass-through grantor/program title	Federal CFDA number	Program or award amount	Accrued (deferred) revenue July 1, 2006	Cash/ payments in kind received (cash basis)	Prior year (s)	Expenditures (accrual basis) Current year	Total	Accrued (deferred) revenue June 30, 2007	Notes
U.S. Department of Education—Continued Passed through Muskegon Area Intermediate School District Adult Basic Education 061130 610586 071130 710587	84.002	\$ 16,692 27,433 44,125	\$ 16,692 - 16,692	\$ 16,692 \$ 27,433 44,125	6 16,692 : 	\$ - 27,433 27,433	\$ 16,692 27,433 44,125	\$ - 	
Special Education Cluster IDEA 101-476 Flowthrough 060450 0506 070450 0607	84.027	551,579 531,605 1,083,184	58,996 - 58,996	87,634 259,940 347,574	497,655 	53,924 401,320 455,244	551,579 401,320 952,899	25,286 141,380 166,666	
IDEA 101-476 Preschool 070460 0607	84.173	12,454	-	8,736	- 107.655	12,345	12,345	3,609	
Total Special Education Cluster  Drug Free Schools and Communities Act 072860 0506	84.186	1,095,638	58,996	356,310	497,655	467,589 31,082	965,244	170,275 31,082	
Total passed through Muskegon Area Intermediate School District		1,170,845	75,688	400,435	514,347	526,104	1,040,451	201,357	
Total U.S. Department of Education  U.S. Department of Agriculture  Passed attrough Michigan Department of Education		8,434,508	742,471	3,470,762	3,772,991	4,052,584	7,825,575	1,324,293	
National School Lunch Entitlement Commodities Bonus Commodities	10.550	28,594 721 29,315	- - -	28,594 721 29,315	- - -	28,594 721 29,315	28,594 721 29,315	- - -	
061970 Breakfast 071970 Breakfast	10.553	214,804 192,985 407,789	30,180	51,628 186,425 238,053	193,356	21,448 192,985 214,433	214,804 192,985 407,789	6,560 6,560	3
061950 All Lunches 071950 All Lunches 061960 Free and Reduced 071960 Free and Reduced 061980 Snack Program 071980 Snack Program	10.555	68,260 59,238 548,664 472,662 3,127 2,617 1,154,568	9,835 - 79,034 - 496 - 89,365	18,234 57,609 142,856 452,692 496 2,617 674,504	59,861 - 484,842 - 3,127 - 547,830	8,399 59,238 63,822 472,662 - 2,617 606,738	68,260 59,238 548,664 472,662 3,127 2,617 1,154,568	1,629 - 19,970 - - 21,599	3 3 3 3 3

# School District of the City of Muskegon Heights SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS—CONTINUED For the year ended June 30, 2007

Federal grantor/pass-throughgrantor/program title	Federal CFDA number	. <u>-</u>	Program or award amount	(	Accrued (deferred) revenue ally 1, 2006		Cash/ payments in kind received (cash basis)	_	Prior year (s)		Expenditures accrual basis Current year		Total	(0	Accrued deferred) revenue de 30, 2007	Notes
U.S. Department of Agriculture—Continued  Passed through Michigan Department of Education—Continued  National School Lunch—Continued  Child Care Food Program																
061920 CCFP Meals	10.558	\$	11,276	\$	3,142	\$	3,658	\$	10,760	\$	516	\$	11,276	\$	_	
071920 CCFP Meals		-	18,630	-	-	_	16,436	-	-	-	18,630	-	18,630	-	2,194	
062010 Child Care Cash in Lieu			518		138		138		518		-		518		-	
072010 Child Care Cash in Lieu			794		-		718		_		794		794		76	
		_	31,218		3,280	_	20,950	_	11,278	_	19,940		31,218		2,270	
Summer Food Service Program for Children																
060900 Summer Food Meals	10.559		122,053		20,230		122,053		20,230		101,823		122,053		-	3
061900 Summer Food Sponsor Admin			12,587		2,090		12,587		2,090		10,497		12,587		-	3
070900 Summer Food Meals			17,735		-		-		-		17,735		17,735		17,735	3
071900 Summer Food Sponsor Admin			1,827		-						1,827		1,827		1,827	3
			154,202		22,320		134,640		22,320		131,882		154,202	_	19,562	
Total passed through Michigan Department																
of Education and U.S. Department of Agriculture			1,777,092		145,145		1,097,462		774,784		1,002,308		1,777,092		49,991	
			-,,		- 10,-10		-,07.,00		,,,,,		-,,		-,,		,	
U.S. Department of Labor																
Passed through County of Muskegon, Michigan	17.207															
Wagner Peyser Labor Exchange 402222/WP-05	17.207		37,059		9,829		9.829		27.050				37,059			
					9,829		- ,		37,059		-		,		11 250	
402222/WP-06		_	26,280 63,339		9,829	_	14,922 24,751	_	37,059	_	26,280 26,280	_	26,280 63,339		11,358	
			03,339		9,829		24,751		37,039		20,280		03,339		11,558	
Workforce Investment Act Cluster																
WIA Adult Program	17.258															
402222/WIA-05			15,081		5,392		5,392		15,081		-		15,081		-	
402222/WIA-06			38,249		-		10,511		-		38,249		38,249		27,738	
402222/WP-06		_	2,026		-	_	1,491	_		_	2,026	_	2,026	_	535	
			55,356		5,392		17,394		15,081		40,275		55,356		28,273	
WIA Youth Program	17.259															
402222/WIA-05			51,459		85		22,941		3,983		47,476		51,459		24,620	
402222/WP-06			2,200		-		1,619		-		2,200		2,200		581	
		_	53,659		85	_	24,560	_	3,983	_	49,676		53,659		25,201	
WIA Dislocated Workers	17.260															
WIA-06	17.200		68,827		_		27,524		_		68,827		68,827		41,303	
402222/WP-06			3,662		_		2,695		_		3,662		3,662		967	
.0222/111 00		_	72,489	_		_	30,219	_		_	72,489	_	72,489	_	42,270	
Total WIA Cluster		_	181,504		5,477	_	72,173	_	19,064	_	162,440	_	181,504		95,744	
		_	101,507	_	5,177	_	12,113	_	17,007	_	102,110	_	101,501	_	, 5, , , , ,	
Total passed through County of Muskegon, Michigan and U.S. Department of Labor			244,843		15,306		96,924		56,123		188,720		244,843		107,102	

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS—CONTINUED

For the year ended June 30, 2007

	Federal	Program or	Accrued (deferred)	Cash/ payments in kind		Expenditures (accrual basis)		Accrued (deferred)	
Federal grantor/pass-through grantor/program title	CFDA number	award amount	revenue July 1, 2006	received (cash basis)	Prior year (s)	Current year	Total	revenue June 30, 2007	Notes
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Passed through County of Muskegon, Michigan Workfirst	93.558								
402222/WR-06 402222/WR-07		\$ 200,749 408,710 609,459	\$ 92,639 - 92,639	\$ 92,639 \$ 244,581 337,220	200,749 \$	408,710 408,710	200,749 408,710 609,459	\$ - 164,129 164,129	
Passed through Muskegon Area Intermediate School District Head Start	93.600	303,103	> <b>2,</b> 665	331,220	200,712	100,710	002,103	10.,122	
05CH8258/07 05CH8258/08	93.000	625,584 350,037	79,829	316,556 178,743	388,857	236,727 363,581	625,584 363,581	184,838	
Medical Assistance Program Title XIX 393	93.778	975,621	79,829	495,299 19,428	388,857	600,308 19,428	989,165	184,838	
Total passed through Muskegon Area Intermediate School District		995,049	79,829	514,727	388,857	619,736	1,008,593	184,838	
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services		1,604,508	172,468	851,947	589,606	1,028,446	1,618,052	348,967	
TOTAL FEDERAL ASSISTANCE		\$ 12,060,951	\$ 1,075,390	\$ 5,517,095 \$	5,193,504 \$	6,272,058 \$	11,465,562	\$ 1,830,353	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

### School District of the City of Muskegon Heights NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

For the year ended June 30, 2007

- 1. Please see the financial statement footnotes for the significant accounting policies used in preparing this schedule.
- 2. Management has utilized the Grants Section Auditors Report (Form R7120) and Grant Auditor Report (GAR) in preparing the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.
- 3. Child Nutrition Cluster
- 4. Reconciliation of revenues from federal sources per governmental funds financial statements and expenditures per single audit report Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

Revenues from federal sources per June 30, 2007

Governmental Funds financial statements
General Fund \$5,001,747
Other governmental funds (includes Food Service Fund) 1,002,307 \$6,004,054

Less timing difference due to GASB 33 revenue recognition issues 268,004

Expenditures per single audit report
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards \$6,272,058

5. The Michigan Department of Education determined Muskegon Heights Public Schools was not in compliance with certification requirements for the special education teacher noted in Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 1 for the compliance finding related to Special Tests and Provisions, Highly Qualified Teachers and Paraprofessionals. The School District was required to pay back \$29,821 to the Muskegon Area Intermediate School District. This amount was paid back September 21, 2007 with check number 068053.

Year ended June 30, 2007

#### A. SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS

- 1. The auditors' report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights.
- 2. Nine (9) significant deficiencies disclosed during the audit of the financial statements are reported in the Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards and are reported in Part B of this schedule. Two (2) of these significant deficiencies are reported as material weaknesses.
- 3. *Two* (2) instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights were disclosed during the audit and are reported in Part B of this Schedule.
- 4. *One* (1) significant deficiency disclosed during the audit of the major federal award programs is reported in the Independent Auditors' Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and is reported in Parts B and C of this schedule. The significant deficiency is not reported as a material weakness.
- 5. The auditors' report on compliance for the major federal award programs for the School District of the City of Muskegon Heights expresses a qualified opinion.
- 6. Audit findings that are required to be reported in accordance with Section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133 are reported in this schedule.
- 7. The programs tested as major programs were:

	CFDA
<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>
U.S. Department of Education	
Title I, Part A	84.010
Title II, Part A	84.367
U.S. Department of Agriculture	
Child Nutrition Cluster	10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

- 8. The threshold for distinguishing Types A and B programs was \$300,000.
- 9. The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights was not determined to be a low-risk auditee.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

#### **COMPLIANCE**

U.S. Department of Education

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 1: Title I, Part A

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 84.010

Award Number: 071530 0607

Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Allowable Costs/Cost Principles

*Criteria:* An LEA must submit a budget amendment when adding a new line item of expenditures per the Michigan Department of Education School Auditing Manual.

*Condition:* We noted one instance where there was a new line item not in the approved budget. And, there was one instance where a line item exceeded the budget by more than \$10,000.

Cause: The School District was not aware of this requirement.

Questioned Costs: \$101,793

*Context:* We reviewed functional line item expenditures compared to the approved budget and noted two instances where expenditures exceeded the approved budget. There was \$60,000 (function 226) of new line item expenditures not in the approved budget. Expenditures for Supplemental Educational Services exceeded the approved budget by \$41,793.

Effect: The expenditures may not be allowable costs for the Title I, Part A grant.

*Recommendation:* The School District should submit a budget amendment to the Michigan Department of Education when it exceeds the approved budget or adds a new line item of expenditures.

School District Response: During the 2006/07 fiscal year, two key business office employees resigned and were subsequently replaced. The total cost of this transition was \$60.000.

The above mentioned costs were included in the district's original approved budget, but were omitted in error during the course of the year.

Expenditures for Supplemental Educational Services exceeded the approved budget amount by \$41,793, but were still within 10 percent of the approved budgeted amount. Correspondence between the district and the State of Michigan has been established in regard to these expenditures.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

U.S. Department of Education

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 2: Title I, Part A

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 84.010

Award Number: 071530 0607

Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Special Tests and Provisions, Highly Qualified Teachers and Paraprofessionals

*Criteria:* An LEA must ensure that all teachers of core academic subjects, whether or not they work in a program supported with Title I, Part A funds, must be highly qualified as defined in 34 CFR section 200.56 by the end of the 2005-06 school year.

*Condition:* We noted one teacher who was teaching a core academic subject that did not meet the definition of a highly qualified teacher as defined in 34 CFR Section 200.56.

Cause: The School District was not aware that band is a core academic subject.

Questioned Costs: \$56,742

*Context:* We tested forty teachers for the 2006/2007 school year. We noted that the Middle School band teacher does not hold a valid teaching certificate. There was a similar finding in the June 30, 2006 audit.

*Effect:* The salaries and benefits for this employee may have to be returned to either the U.S. Department of Education or the Michigan Department of Education.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review the regulations on what subjects are included under Core Academic subjects and follow their established procedures regarding the hiring of highly qualified teachers.

School District Response: The district has been pursuing highly qualified candidates for this position for over a year. It is the policy of the district to hire highly qualified personnel.

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### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 3: MATERIAL WEAKNESS—General Ledger Account Balance Reconciliations

*Criteria:* General ledger account balances should be reconciled to detailed supporting documentation on a timely basis.

*Condition:* There were several account balances that were not reconciled to supporting documentation on a timely basis.

*Cause:* There was turnover in business office staff that created periods of time where account balances were not reconciled timely.

Effect: Failure to reconcile general ledger account balances timely can adversely affect the accuracy of internally-prepared monthly financial statements, and, correspondingly, adversely affect the analysis and conclusions as to the School District's financial position and results of operations by management, and other users of such monthly financial statements. Additionally, this condition significantly increases the amount of year end general ledger account analysis and adjusting journal entries by School District personnel, causing significant delays in closing fiscal year financial records and issuing audited financial statements.

*Recommendation:* The utilization of a monthly closing checklist and written procedures would encourage personnel to review the accuracy of month end balances through analysis of account activity, comparison to supporting documentation and/or reconciliation with detailed schedules.

School District Response: The district will reconcile its accounts on a monthly basis.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 4: MATERIAL WEAKNESS—Timely Posting of Transactions

Criteria: All transactions should be posted to the general ledger timely.

*Condition:* We noted that cash receipts and payroll transactions are not being posted to the general ledger timely.

*Cause:* There was turnover in business office staff that created periods of time where transactions were not posted to the general ledger timely.

*Effect:* Interim financial statements are not accurate or complete.

*Recommendation:* The School District should established internal control procedures over the timely posting of transactions to the general ledger.

School District Response: Cash entries will be posted to the general ledger within a week after cash is received and payroll transactions will be posted after reviewed.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 5: Segregation of Payroll and Cash Receipt Procedures

Criteria: Duties should be adequately segregated so as to separate incompatible duties.

*Condition:* Certain employees have access to both physical assets and the related accounting records or all phases of a payroll and cash receipt transactions.

*Cause:* The School District did not have an adequate segregation of duties for the individuals responsible for payroll and cash receipts.

*Effect:* Errors in processing transactions and financial reporting and the misappropriation of assets could go undetected.

*Recommendation:* Payroll should be reviewed by an appropriate official. The receipt and opening of mail and endorsement of checks should be segregated from the depositing and recording in the general ledger.

*School District Response:* The district will segregate these duties and payroll will be reviewed by an official before posting to the general ledger.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 6: Journal Entry Procedures

*Criteria:* Journal entries should include all supporting documentation and be reviewed and approved by an appropriate official.

Condition: We noted that some journal entries lack supporting documentation and approval by an appropriate official.

Cause: There was turnover in business office staff and the procedure requiring adequate support and review was not communicated to the newly hired staff.

*Effect:* The lack of support leaves a poor audit trail and provides for difficult subsequent reference as to the nature of the journal entries. The lack of review and approval increases the possibility that misstatements due to errors and fraud could occur without being detected.

*Recommendation:* A formal record should be kept of all journal entries made and the details supporting those entries. The journal entries should also be reviewed and approved by an appropriate official.

School District Response: Journal entries and supporting information will be reviewed and signed by an appropriate district official before being posted to the general ledger. The district will keep these entries in a formal record.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 7: Long Outstanding Checks

*Criteria:* Checks outstanding for periods greater than one year should be reviewed to determine if reissuance or other disposition is appropriate.

*Condition:* We noted certain checks have been outstanding and maintained on bank reconciliations for periods in excess of a year.

Cause: There was turnover in business office staff and this step was overlooked.

*Effect:* Carrying long outstanding checks increases bank reconciliation effort and does not allow for timely follow-up on potential problems.

*Recommendation:* The appropriate entities should be contacted to determine if additional checks should be issued to the entities by the School District. Alternatively, School District personnel should make a determination as to whether such long outstanding items should be written off.

School District Response: Long outstanding checks will be written off or sent to the proper collection authority.

#### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 8: Internet Application Controls

*Criteria:* Access to grant applications and reporting via the internet should be controlled by unique user names and passwords.

*Condition:* We noted that multiple personnel use the same user name and password to access the school lunch reporting and meal claim website.

Cause: School District staff did not feel this was a significant weakness in internal control.

*Effect:* This condition provides the opportunity for personnel to access the system and view/adjust data for which they are not authorized and if fraudulent activity were to occur, it would be difficult to identify the responsible party.

*Recommendation:* The implementation of individual password/logins to track individual user activity could reduce the opportunity for unauthorized activity and provide a way to hold personnel accountable for their actions.

*School District Response:* Proper controls will be put on account passwords. Only the authorized user will be able to access information through his/her username and password.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 9: Cash Receipt Deposits

Criteria: Cash receipts should be deposited timely after receipt.

Condition: We noted several receipts that were not deposited in a timely manner.

Cause: There was turnover in business office staff and deposit timeliness was not made a priority.

Effect: Holding receipts increases the possibility of cash receipts being misplaced or misappropriated.

Recommendation: All cash receipts should be deposited within a week of receipt.

School District Response: Cash receipts will be deposited in a timely manner.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 10: City Payroll Tax Withholding

*Criteria:* Payroll tax withholdings should be remitted to the taxing authority within the prescribed timelines.

Condition: We noted city withholdings were not remitted to the city monthly as required.

*Cause*: The School District was trying to work out a netting of amounts owed to the city with amounts the city owed the School District, but the netting agreement was not reached.

*Effect:* Late payment of withholdings can subject the School District to penalties and interest.

Recommendation: All payroll withholdings should be remitted in accordance with prescribed timelines.

School District Response: Payroll taxes will be deposited in a timely manner.

Year ended June 30, 2007

### B. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 11: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 061970, 071970, 061950, 061960, 071950, 071960, 071980,

060900, 061900, 070900, 071900

Award Year Ends: September 30, 2006 and September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Eligibility, Reporting, and Special Tests and Provisions – Verification of Free and Reduced Price Applications

*Criteria:* Per OMB Circular A-133 §\_\_\_\_.105 Definitions, internal control is a process, effected by an entity's management and other personnel, designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the achievement of objectives in the following categories: 1) Effectiveness and efficiency of operations, 2) Reliability of financial reporting, and 3) Compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

*Condition:* There are no internal control procedures in place requiring a review or approval of work performed under the Child Nutrition Cluster eligibility, reporting or verification functions.

Cause: Review and approval are not documented.

Questioned Costs: None

*Context:* Child Nutrition Cluster had compliance findings related to reporting and special tests and provisions – verification of free and reduced price applications.

*Effect:* The lack of a review or approval of the noted compliance areas increases the risk of a material error/misstatement going undetected in the normal course of operations.

*Recommendation:* Review and approval should be implemented and documented for the Child Nutrition Cluster eligibility, reporting and verification functions.

School District Response: The district's internal control for this process requires review by two individuals, a representative of the management company and a district employee. As a method to strengthen the accuracy of the report submission, the management company's director will again review and sign off on the report prior to submission.

Year ended June 30, 2007

# C. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

#### **COMPLIANCE**

See Findings 1 and 2 in Part B above.

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 12: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 061970, 071970, 061950, 061960, 071950, 071960, 071980,

060900, 061900, 070900, 071900 Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Reporting

*Criteria:* All claims for reimbursement must be supported by accurate meal count records indicating the number of meals served by category and type per 7 CFR Section 210.7(c).

*Condition:* We noted that not all claims were supported by accurate meal counts by category and type taken at point of service.

Cause: Monthly summary reports are created using source documents from the point of service (POS) system and manual adjustment sheets. These summary reports are used to report the number of meals served. There are two buildings that do not use the POS system, but instead take meal counts manually. These two buildings experienced the highest error rate in reporting meals served. Also, there were errors in two months in reporting the number of meals served from the summary sheets due to keypunching errors.

Questioned Costs: (\$1,209)

Context: We selected eight buildings in a four month sample for a total of 35,820 lunches and 20,563 breakfasts served out of 267,179 lunches and 148,725 breakfast claimed for the year. We noted several errors in recording the number of meals served by category and type. In two of the months, there were keypunch errors which understated free lunch and breakfast and overstated paid lunch and breakfasts in the same amount. In total, free lunches were under reported by 286 meals, reduced lunches were overstated by 11 meals, paid lunches were overstated by 290 meals, free breakfast were understated by 470 meals, reduced breakfasts were overstated by 7 meals and paid breakfasts were overstated by 468 meals.

*Effect:* The claims for reimbursement filed with the Michigan Department of Education had both over and understatements of meals served by category and type.

*Recommendation:* The School District should utilize the POS system for all buildings. Monthly summary reports and monthly claims for reimbursement should be reviewed for accuracy.

School District Response: The school district and management company will pursue the opportunity to purchase a new POS computer system and software updates for all buildings. All edit checks and rosters will be reviewed and signed before claims are submitted.

Year ended June 30, 2007

# C. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 13: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 061970, 071970, 061950, 061960, 071950, 071960, 071980

Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Reporting

*Criteria:* The OMB Circular A-133 states that the SEA may require the SFA to report information the SEA needs to prepare the required financial reports of the SEA and that those reports of the SFA should be tested during the audit of the SFA.

*Condition:* We noted that the annual report submitted to the Michigan Department of Education was not supported by source documents and contained large variances from audited results of operations.

*Cause*: The annual report is completed (due July 31) before the School District's records are complete. Also, the information used to complete the report was not retained to verify the information reported.

Questioned Costs: Not determinable

*Context:* The annual report submitted to the Michigan Department of Education reported a net fund balance increase of more than \$100,000 greater than actual results.

*Effect:* This information is used by the Michigan Department of Education in calculating the amount of state match funds the School District receives. By reporting incorrect information the School District is either receiving too much or too little of the state match funds disbursed by the SEA.

*Recommendation:* The School District should update its accounting records in a timely manner to facilitate a more accurate report. The School District should also maintain its source documents to support the amounts they report.

*School District Response:* Financial information required for the annual report will be updated monthly and distributed to the proper school district managers, allowing for more accurate year-end reports.

Year ended June 30, 2007

# C. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 14: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 061970, 071970, 061950, 061960, 071950, 071960, 071980

Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Special tests and Provisions, Verification of Free and Reduced Price Applications

*Criteria:* In accordance with the OMB Circular A-133, the SFA must perform verification in accordance with instructions provided by the State agency.

Condition: The School District was required to perform basic sampling for verification. Under basic sampling, applications are to be selected from households claiming income within \$100 monthly or \$1,200 annually of the income eligibility guidelines for free and reduced meals. No such applications were selected for verification.

*Cause*: The School District utilized a computer software program to make the selections and none were selected.

Ouestioned Costs: Not determinable

*Context:* There were ten applications selected for verification; none were selected from households claiming income within \$100 monthly or \$1,200 annually of the income eligibility guidelines for free and reduced meals.

*Effect:* The results of verification may have had a different result had the sample included applications from households claiming income within \$100 monthly or \$1,200 annually of the income eligibility guidelines for free and reduced meals.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification procedures and provide additional training for staff that performs verification.

School District Response: Additional training will be provided by the management company and the POS software company so interpretation of the report will be done correctly. The report will be reviewed by an approved district employee and signed by the food service director in order to verify information prior to report submission.

Year ended June 30, 2007

# C. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 15: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 061970, 071970, 061950, 061960, 071950, 071960, 071980

Award Year End: September 30, 2007

Specific Requirement: Special tests and Provisions, Verification of Free and Reduced Price Applications

*Criteria:* The SFA must report their verification activity and results to their respective State agencies per the September 11, 2003 final rule entitled 'Determining Eligibility for Free and reduced Price Meals in Schools – Verification Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements.'

*Condition:* We noted that the verification results reported were not accurate and the number of approved applications reported was incorrect.

Cause: The results of verification are not properly summarized nor reviewed by an appropriate person.

Questioned Costs: None

*Context:* As of October 31, 2006, there were 239 students approved as free eligible based on income, but the School District reported 322 and 57 students were reduced price eligible, but the School District reported 103. The number of approved applications as of October 1, 2006 based on income/household size was overstated. The results of verification by application type reported the results of eight applications, but ten applications were verified and the verified applications that reapplied were not properly reported.

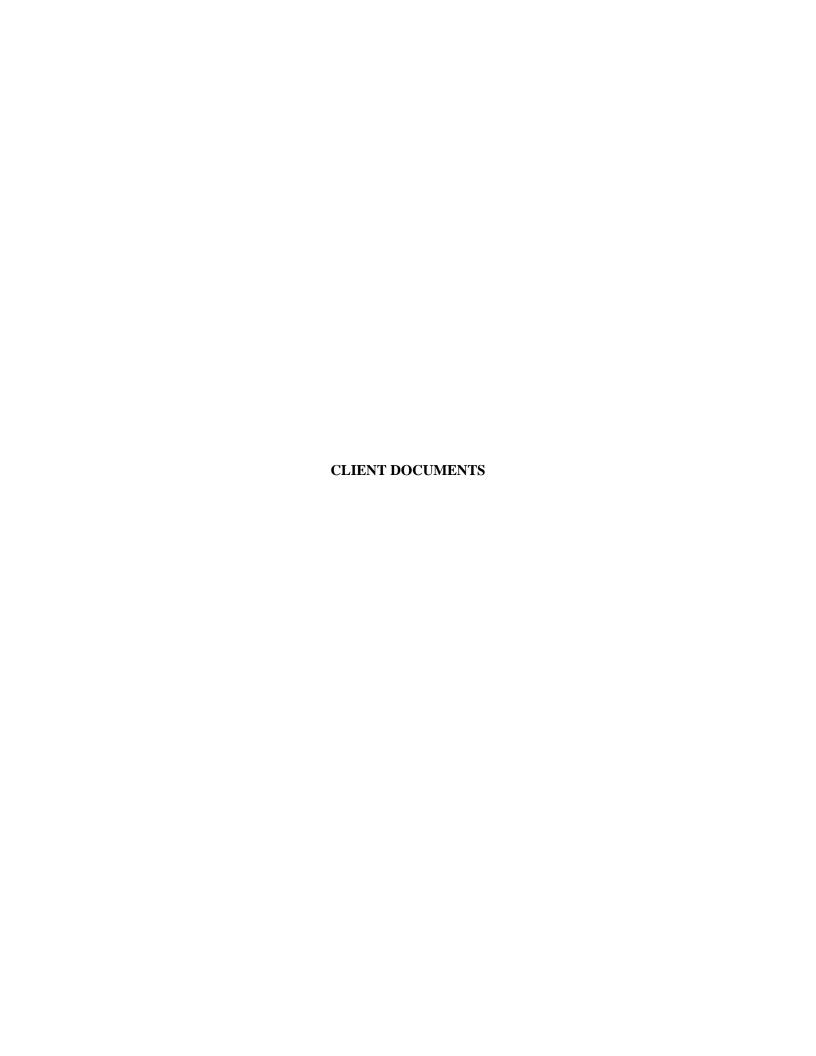
*Effect:* The Michigan Department of Education forwards the information to the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS). This information is used by FNS to make decisions regarding the National School Lunch Program and if the information is inaccurate, it may adversely affect those decisions.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification reporting procedures and provide additional training for staff that performs verification. The School District should also implement a procedure for reviewing the results of verification.

School District Response: Additional training will be provided by the management company and the POS software company so interpretation of the report will be done correctly. The report will be reviewed by an approved district employee and signed by the food service director in order to verify information prior to report submission.

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES

See Finding 11 in Part B above.



2603 Leahy Street Muskegon Heights, MI 49444

#### SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

November 30, 2007

Michigan Department of Education Lansing, Michigan

The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights respectfully submits the following summary of the current status of prior audit findings contained in the single audit report for the year ended June 30, 2006 dated October 27, 2006.

### B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT

#### **COMPLIANCE**

U.S. Department of Education

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 1: Title I, Part A

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 84.010

Award Number: 061530 0506

Award Year End: September 30, 2006

*Condition:* We noted two teachers who were teaching core academic subjects in Title I schoolwide program schools that did not meet the definition of a highly qualified teacher as defined in 34 CFR Section 200.56.

*Recommendation:* The School District should follow their established procedures regarding the hiring of highly qualified teachers.

*Current Status:* See Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 2 for a similar finding reported for the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

#### B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT—Continued

#### REPORTABLE CONDITIONS

### Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 2: Budgeting Policies and Procedures

*Condition:* The School District adopted a deficit budget, even though the State School Aid Act (Act 94) of 1979 prohibits deficit (negative equity) budgeting.

Recommendation: The School District should comply with the State School Aid Act (Act 94) of 1979.

Current Status: This recommendation was adopted in fiscal 2007. No similar finding was noted in the fiscal 2007 audit.

#### C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS

#### **COMPLIANCE**

#### U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 3: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 051970, 069170, 051950, 061950, 051960, 061960,

051980, 061980, 041900 and 042900

Award Year Ends: September 30, 2005 and September 30, 2006

Condition: We noted that three applications did not have an eligibility determination indicated on them (two appeared properly recorded on building roster and one was incorrect on building roster), one eligibility determination was incorrect, two applications had correct eligibility determinations, but did not agree to the status on the building roster used for claims/reporting, one application was missing income frequency and staff called parent, but did not document the phone call and one application could not be located.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review the procedures used to process paper applications and provide additional training for staff who process the paper applications.

Current Status: This recommendation was implemented during the year ended June 30, 2007. **No** similar finding was noted during the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

#### C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 4: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 051970, 069170, 051950, 061950, 051960, 061960,

051980, 061980, 041900 and 042900

Award Year Ends: September 30, 2005 and September 30, 2006

*Condition:* We noted that not all claims were supported by accurate meal counts by category and type taken at the point of service.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review the procedures used to count, accumulate and report meals served by category and type taken at the point of service to improve the accuracy of the claims for reimbursement.

*Current Status:* See Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 12 for a similar finding reported for the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

#### U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 5: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 051970, 069170, 051950, 061950, 051960, 061960,

051980, 061980, 041900 and 042900 Award Year End: September 30, 2006

*Condition:* We noted that the verification results reported were not accurate and the number of approved applications reported was wrong.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification reporting procedures and provide additional training for staff who perform verification.

*Current Status:* See Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 15 for a similar finding reported for the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

#### C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS—Continued

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

### U.S. Department of Agriculture

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 6: Child Nutrition Cluster

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 10.553, 10.555 and 10.559

Award Numbers: 051970, 069170, 051950, 061950, 051960, 061960,

051980, 061980, 041900 and 042900 Award Year End: September 30, 2006

Condition: We noted a) one family was sent a letter indicating a reduction in benefits from free to denied for no response, but the building rosters were not updated for all members of the family, b) one family reapplied for benefits after verification terminated their benefits and building rosters were not properly updated for all members of the family, and c) two applications that did not have all income sources verified.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification reporting procedures and provide additional training for staff who perform verification.

Current Status: This recommendation was implemented during the year ended June 30, 2007. No similar finding was noted during the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

#### U.S. Department of Education

Fiscal 2006 Finding No. 7: Title I, Part A

Pass-through entity: Michigan Department of Education

CFDA: 84.010

Award Numbers: 051530 0405, 051530 0506 and 061530 0506 Award Year Ends: June 30, 2005 and September 30, 2006

Condition: The School District did not provide the option to transfer to another public school by the first day of the school year. We noted letters dated September 2005 sent to parents regarding the option to transfer. The school district also held a parent information night on October 3, 2005 at which they discussed the option to transfer. The first day of school was August 29, 2005.

*Recommendation:* The School District should review the Michigan Department of Education's Adequate Yearly Progress Technical Assistance/Reporting Packet that includes sample notification letters for the transfer option and mail the letters prior to the first day of the school year.

Current Status: This recommendation was implemented during the year ended June 30, 2007. No similar finding was noted during the single audit for the year ended June 30, 2007.

# C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS—Continued

# REPORTABLE CONDITIONS

There were *no* reportable conditions in relation to the major federal award programs.

Sincerely,

Dana M. Bryant Superintendent

2603 Leahy Street Muskegon Heights, MI 49444

#### CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

November 30, 2007

Michigan Department of Education Lansing, Michigan

The School District of the City of Muskegon Heights respectfully submits the following Corrective Action Plan for the year ended June 30, 2007.

Name and address of independent public accounting firm:

Brickley DeLong, PLC

P.O. Box 999

Muskegon, Michigan 49443

Audit period: June 30, 2007

The findings from the Schedule of Findings and Responses for the year ended June 30, 2007 are discussed below. The findings are numbered consistently with the numbers assigned in the schedule.

### **B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT**

#### **COMPLIANCE**

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 1: U.S. Department of Education Title I, Part A – Allowable Costs/Cost Principles

*Recommendation:* The School District should submit a budget amendment to the Michigan Department of Education when it exceeds the approved budget or adds a new line item of expenditures.

Action Taken: During the 2006/07 fiscal year, two key business office employees resigned and were subsequently replaced. The total cost of this transition was \$60,000.

The above mentioned costs were included in the district's original approved budget, but were omitted in error during the course of the year.

Expenditures for Supplemental Educational Services exceeded the approved budget amount by \$41,793, but were still within 10% of the approved budgeted amount. Correspondence between the district and the State of Michigan has been established in regard to these expenditures.

The School District believes these are allowable costs.

#### B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT—Continued

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

# Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 2: U.S. Department of Education Title I, Part A – Highly Qualified Teachers and Paraprofessionals

*Recommendation:* The School District should review the regulations on what subjects are included under Core Academic subjects and follow their established procedures regarding the hiring of highly qualified teachers.

Action Taken: The district has been pursuing highly qualified candidates for this position for over a year. It is the policy of the district to hire highly qualified personnel.

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 3: General Ledger Account Balance Reconciliations

*Recommendation:* The utilization of a monthly closing checklist and written procedures would encourage personnel to review the accuracy of month end balances through analysis of account activity, comparison to supporting documentation and/or reconciliation with detailed schedules.

Action Taken: The district will reconcile its accounts on a monthly basis.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 4: Timely Posting of Transactions

*Recommendation:* The School District should established internal control procedures over the timely posting of transactions to the general ledger.

Action Taken: Cash entries will be posted to the general ledger within a week after cash is received and payroll transactions will be posted after reviewed.

# Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 5: Segregation of Payroll and Cash Receipt Procedures

*Recommendation:* Payroll should be reviewed by an appropriate official. The receipt and opening of mail and endorsement of checks should be segregated from the depositing and recording in the general ledger.

Action Taken: The district will segregate these duties and payroll will be reviewed by an official before posting to the general ledger.

#### B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT—Continued

#### **SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued**

#### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 6: Journal Entry Procedures

*Recommendation:* A formal record should be kept of all journal entries made and the details supporting those entries. The journal entries should also be reviewed and approved by an appropriate official.

Action Taken: Journal entries and supporting information will be reviewed and signed by an appropriate district official before being posted to the general ledger. The district will keep these entries in a formal record.

#### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 7: Long Outstanding Checks

*Recommendation:* The appropriate entities should be contacted to determine if additional checks should be issued to the entities by the School District. Alternatively, School District personnel should make a determination as to whether such long outstanding items should be written off.

Action Taken: Long outstanding checks will be written off or sent to the proper collection authority.

# Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 8: Internet Application Controls

*Recommendation:* The implementation of individual password/logins to track individual user activity could reduce the opportunity for unauthorized activity and provide a way to hold personnel accountable for their actions.

*Action Taken:* Proper controls will be put on account passwords. Only the authorized user will be able to access information through his/her username and password.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 9: Cash Receipt Deposits

Recommendation: All cash receipts should be deposited within a week of receipt.

Action Taken: Cash receipts will be deposited in a timely manner.

### Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 10: City Payroll Tax Withholding

Recommendation: All payroll withholdings should be remitted in accordance with prescribed timelines...

Action Taken: Payroll taxes will be deposited in a timely manner.

#### B. FINDINGS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT—Continued

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES—Continued

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 11: U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Cluster – Eligibility, Reporting and Verification

*Recommendation:* Review and approval should be implemented and documented for the Child Nutrition Cluster eligibility, reporting and verification functions.

Action Taken: The District's internal control for this process requires review by two individuals, a representative of the management company and a district employee. As a method to strengthen the accuracy of the report submission, the management company's director will again review and sign off on the report prior to submission.

#### C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDITS

#### **COMPLIANCE**

See Findings 1 and 2 in Part B above.

# Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 12: U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Cluster – Reporting

*Recommendation:* The School District should utilize the POS system for all buildings. Monthly summary reports and monthly claims for reimbursement should be reviewed for accuracy.

Action Taken: The school district and management company will pursue the opportunity to purchase a new POS computer system and software updates for all buildings. All edit checks and rosters will be reviewed and signed before claims are submitted.

# Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 13: U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Cluster – Reporting

*Recommendation:* The School District should update its accounting records in a timely manner to facilitate a more accurate report. The School District should also maintain its source documents to support the amounts they report.

Action Taken: Financial information required for the annual report will be updated monthly and distributed to the proper school district managers, allowing for more accurate year-end reports.

#### C. FINDINGS—MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDITS—Continued

#### **COMPLIANCE—Continued**

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 14: U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Cluster – Verification of Free and Reduced Price Applications

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification procedures and provide additional training for staff that performs verification.

Action Taken: Additional training will be provided by the management company and the POS software company so interpretation of the report will be done correctly. The report will be reviewed by an approved district employee and signed by the food service director in order to verify information prior to report submission.

Fiscal 2007 Finding No. 15: U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Cluster – Verification of Free and Reduced Price Applications

*Recommendation:* The School District should review their verification reporting procedures and provide additional training for staff that performs verification. The School District should also implement a procedure for reviewing the results of verification.

Action Taken: Additional training will be provided by the management company and the POS software company so interpretation of the report will be done correctly. The report will be reviewed by an approved district employee and signed by the food service director in order to verify information prior to report submission.

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES

See Finding 11 in Part B above.

If the Michigan Department of Education has questions regarding this plan, please call Dana M. Bryant at (231) 830-3221.

Sincerely.

Dana M. Bryant Superintendent FORM **SF-SAC** (5-2004)

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a. Auditee name SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF- MUSKEGON HEIGHTS	a. Auditor name BRICKLEY DELONG, PLC						
<ul><li>b. Auditee address (Number and street)</li><li>2603 LEAHY STREET</li></ul>	b. Auditor address (Number and street)						
City	316 MORRIS AVENUE, SUITE 500 City						
MUSKEGON HEIGHTS State 7/P + 4 Code	MUSKEGON						
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g. AUDITEE CERTIFICATION STATEMENT – This is to certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the auditee has: (1) engaged an auditor to perform an audit in accordance with the provisions of OMB Circular A-133 for the period described in Part I, Items 1 and 3; (2) the auditor has completed such audit and presented a signed audit report which states that the audit was conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Circular; and, (3) the information included in Parts I, II, and III of this data collection form is accurate and complete. I declare that the foregoing is true and correct.	9- AUDITOR STATEMENT - The data elements and information included in this form are limited to those prescribed by OMB Circular A-133. The information included in Parts II and III of the form, except for Part III, Items 7, 8, and 9a-9f, was transferred from the auditor's report(s) for the period described in Part I, Items 1 and 3, and is not a substitute for such reports. The auditor has not performed any auditing procedures since the date of the auditor's report(s). A copy of the reporting package required by OMB Circular A-133, which includes the complete auditor's report(s), is available in its entirety from the						
Signature of certifying official Date Month Day Year  124 / 07	auditee at the address provided in Part I of this form. As required by OMB Circular A-133, the information in <b>Parts II</b> and <b>III</b> of this form was entered in this form by the auditor based on information included in the reporting package. The						
Printed Name of certifying official	auditor has not performed any additional auditing procedures in connection with the completion of this form.						
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1.	1. Type of audit report							
	Mark either:	1 X Unc	qualified opinion OR					
	any combination of: 2 Qualified opinion 3 Adverse opinion 4 Disclaimer of opinion							
2.	Is a "going conc	ern" explanato	ry paragraph included in the	audit report?	₁ ☐ Yes	2 <b>X</b> No		
3.	Is a reportable of	condition disclo	sed?		1 X Yes	2 No – SKIP to Item 5		
4.	Is any reportable	e condition repo	orted as a material weaknes	s?	1 X Yes	2 No		
5.	Is a material nor	ncompliance di	sclosed?		<sub>1</sub> X Yes	3 2 □ No		
	PART III	FEDERAL F	PROGRAMS (To be co	mpleted by a	uditor)			
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3.	Did the auditee	qualify as a lov	w-risk auditee? (§530)		1 ☐ Yes	2 <b>X</b> No		
4.	Is a reportable of	condition disclo	sed for any major program?	(§510(a)(1))	1 X Yes	2 ☐ No −SKIP to Item 6		
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6.	Are any known	questioned cos	sts reported? (§510(a)(	3) or (4))	1 X Yes	2 🗆 No		
7.	Were Prior Audi Prior Audit Findi	t Findings relat ings? (§31	ted to <b>direct</b> funding shown 5(b))	in the Summary S	Schedule of 1 \sum Yes	2 <b>X</b> No		
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	11 Commerce		97 Homeland Security  14 Housing and Urban	_	the Arts	21 Treasury		
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A. Activities allowed or unallowed B. Allowable costs/cost principles

Eligibility

Equipment and real property management пппан

Period of availability of Federal funds Matching, level of effort, earmarking

Real property acquisition and relocation assistance Program income

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A. Activities allowed or unallowed B. Allowable costs/cost principles

Eligibility

Equipment and real property management

Period of availability of Federal funds Matching, level of effort, earmarking пппдт

Procurement and suspension and debarment

Real property acquisition and relocation assistance Program income 그 ㅈ

Reporting

Subrecipient monitoring Ξ̈́

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